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ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to Monday the Second day of June next, I have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to the First Monday in September next ensuing.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Fredericton, the thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and in the fourth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

WM. F. ODELL.

By His Excellency Major General Sir ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Baronet, G. C. B. Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to Monday the first day of September next, I have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to the First Monday in December next ensuing.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Fredericton, the twenty-seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and in the fifth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

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By His Excellency Major General Sir ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Baronet, G. C. B. Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL,

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to the First Monday in December next, I have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to Thursday the Fifteenth day of January next, *then to meet at Fredericton for the despatch of Business.*

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Fredericton, the fifteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and in the fifth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command.

WM. F. ODELL.

By His Excellency Major General Sir ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Baronet, G. C. B. Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL,

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to Thursday the fifteenth day of January next, then to meet for the despatch of business, I have thought fit, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, to dissolve the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby dissolved accordingly; whereof all Persons whom it may concern will take due Notice:

And I have further thought fit, by and with the Advice aforesaid, to order and direct that Writs for calling a new General Assembly be forthwith issued, in due Form, returnable on Monday the Fifth Day of January next.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Fredericton, the twenty-seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty four, and in the fifth year of his Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

WM. F. ODELL.

By His Excellency Major General Sir ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Baronet, G. C. B. Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province has been summoned to meet at Fredericton on Monday the fifth Day of January next, I have thought fit to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to Tuesday the Twentieth Day of January next, then to meet at Fredericton *for the despatch of Business.*

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the Seventeenth Day of December, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and in the fifth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command.

WM. F. ODELL.

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His Excellency Major General Sir ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Bart., G. C. B.
Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief, &c. &c. &c.

FREDERICTON, Tuesday, 20th January, 1835.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor having been pleased to dissolve the late General Assembly, and order Writs to issue for electing Members to form a House of Assembly, to meet in General Assembly on the fifth day of January instant, and the said General Assembly having been, by Proclamation, prorogued to this day, then to meet for dispatch of business, the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery delivered to the Clerk of the Assembly a Roll containing the names of the several Members, returned by the Sheriffs of the several Counties, as duly Elected; which are as follow, to wit:—

John Allen,
Jedediah Slason,
James Taylor,
Lemuel A. Wilmot. } Esquires, for the County of York.

John R. Partelow,
Charles Simonds,
George D. Robinson,
John M. Wilmot. } Esquires, for the County of Saint John.

Thomas Wyer,
James Brown, Jun.
George S. Hill,
Patrick Clinch. } Esquires, for the County of Charlotte.

Philip Palmer,
William Crane,
Edward B. Chandler,
Daniel Hanington. } Esquires, for the County of Westmorland.

John

John W. Weldon, John P. Ford.	Esquires, for the County of Kent.
Alexander Rankin, John Ambrose Street.	Esquires, for the County of Northumberland.
William M'Leod, Samuel Freeze.	Esquires, for King's County.
Hugh Johnston, Thomas Gilbert.	Esquires, for Queen's County.
Thomas O. Miles, George Hayward, Jun.	Esquires, for the County of Sunbury.
William End, Peter Stewart.	Esquires, for the County of Gloucester.
Jeremiah M. Connell, George Morehouse.	Esquires, for the County of Carleton.
Lewis Burns, Isaac Woodward.	Esquires, for the City of Saint John.

A Commission, under the Great Seal, appointing Ward Chipman, William Botsford, James Carter, and Robert Parker, Esquires, or any one or more of them, Commissioners for the purpose of administering the Oaths prescribed by Law, being produced, and James Carter, Esquire, one of the Commissioners, named therein, attending, the following Members took the Oaths, and subscribed the Declaration.

Jedediah Slason,		Daniel Hanington,
John Allen,		John W. Weldon,
James Taylor,		John P. Ford,
L. A. Wilmot,		John A. Street,
John R. Partelow,		William M'Leod,
Charles Simonds,		Samuel Freeze,
George D. Robinson,	Esquires.	Thomas Gilbert,
John M. Wilmot,		Thomas O. Miles,
Thomas Wyer,		George Hayward,
George S. Hill,		William End,
Patrick Clinch,		Peter Stewart,
James Brown, Jun.		Jeremiah M. Connell,
Philip Palmer,		George Morehouse,
William Crane,		Lewis Burns,
Edward B. Chandler.		Hugh Johnston.

And Isaac Woodward, a Member for the City of Saint John, having refused the Oath tendered to him by the Commissioner, upon the grounds of his being of the profession of people called Quakers, he made solemn Declaration or Affirmation, as prescribed by the Act of Assembly of the 26 Geo. III, cap. 19, and subscribed thereto; whereupon the several Members took their Seats.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, by Isaac W. Jouett, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, requiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Council Chamber.

The House accordingly attended, when the Honorable Chief Justice Chipman said—

Gentlemen of the Legislative Council, and
Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,

I am commanded by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor to inform you, that he doth not think fit to declare the causes for which he has summoned this General Assembly, until there be a Speaker of this House of Assembly; it is therefore His Excellency's pleasure that you, Gentlemen of the House of Assembly, do repair to the place where the sittings of the House of Assembly are usually held, and there choose

choose a fit person to be your Speaker; and that you present the person who shall be so chosen, to His Excellency in this House, forthwith, for his approbation.

And the House being returned,

Mr. Allen, then addressing the Clerk, proposed to the House for their Speaker. Hugh Johnston, Esquire, a Member for Queen's County, which was seconded by Mr, Weldon.

Mr. Johnston then arose and declined the honor tendered to him, when Mr. Wyer proposed Charles Simonds, Esquire, a Member for the County of Saint John, which was seconded by Mr. J. M. Wilmot.

Mr. Chandler then proposed John Allen, Esquire, a Member for the County of York, which was seconded by Mr. Weldon.

Mr. Allen then arose and declined the honor offered, when Mr. End proposed William Crane, Esquire, a Member for the County of Westmorland, which was seconded by Mr. Weldon.

Mr. Crane also declining, Edward B. Chandler, Esquire, also a Member for the County of Westmorland, was proposed by Mr. Weldon, and seconded by Mr. Crane.

Mr. Chandler likewise declining, Mr. Simonds was the only person in Nomination.

The House then called Charles Simonds, Esquire, to the Chair, when he stood up in his place and expressed the high satisfaction he felt at the honor conferred upon him:

He was then taken out of his place by Mr. Wyer, and Mr. J. M. Wilmot, and conducted by them to the Chair. When standing on the upper step he returned his acknowledgments for the great honor they had been pleased to confer by choosing him as their Speaker.

Mr. Simonds then took the Chair.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, by Isaac W. Jouett, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, requiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Council Chamber, whereupon Mr. Speaker Elect, with the House, attended His Excellency;

And being returned,

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to alter and amend the Laws now in force for the Election of Members to serve in General Assembly.

Leave granted.

Mr. Speaker then reported that he had addressed His Excellency to the effect following:—

"May it please Your Excellency,

"The Assembly having received your Excellency's commands, returned to the place where they usually sit, where, in the exercise of their undoubted right, they immediately proceeded to choose a Speaker: They have elected me to that important and honorable situation, and they now present me to be approved of by your Excellency: aware, however, of my insufficiency, I pray that Your Excellency will be pleased to disapprove of their choice, and command them to elect a more fit Person.

The Honorable Mr. Chief Justice Chipman, then spoke as follows:—

"Mr. Simonds,

"I am commanded by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor to acquaint you, that he approves the choice which the House of Assembly has made of you to be their Speaker; and that relying on your integrity, discretion and ability, he doth allow and confirm your Election.

That he, Mr. Speaker, then further addressed His Excellency, as followeth:—

"May it please Your Excellency,

"I submit with due humility to your Excellency's will and pleasure, and it now becomes

becomes my duty, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, to lay claim, by humble Petition, to all their ancient and undoubted Rights and Privileges, more especially that of freedom of debate, freedom from arrest, free access to your Excellency whenever occasion may demand, and that the most favorable construction shall be put upon all their proceedings; and on my own behalf, I have to entreat your Excellency, that any error which I may commit may not be imputed to His Majesty's faithful and loyal subjects, the Assembly of New Brunswick."

To which the Honorable Mr. Chief Justice Chipman replied,

"Mr. Speaker,

"His Excellency has commanded me to assure you that he hath the greatest confidence in the loyalty and attachment of this House of Assembly, to His Majesty's Person and Government, and in the wisdom, temper and prudence, which will accompany all their proceedings; and that he doth readily and willingly grant and allow to them all their privileges, in as full and ample a manner, as they have at any time heretofore been granted and allowed."

And that His Excellency was then pleased to make a Speech to both Houses, of which he, Mr. Speaker, said he had, to prevent mistakes, procured a Copy, which he read to the House, and is as followeth :—

"*Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*
"*Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

"THE Act of the last Session for increasing the Representation of three of the Counties in the Province, one of which was without any distinct Representative, having received the Royal Assent, I thought it right to put the Law into immediate effect, and in meeting you at this time in General Assembly it affords me much satisfaction that I can congratulate you on the propitious circumstances, in which, compared with many past years, this Province is placed.

"It has pleased Providence to reward the industry of the agricultural part of the community with an abundant harvest.

"Our Commercial interests and prospects stand high, notwithstanding all the difficulties with which public credit has been assailed in Countries exercising a direct influence on the Commercial welfare of our own, and I am therefore justified in assuming that this fact, so advantageous to the public at large, is not less honorable to the judgment and integrity of those engaged in this great branch of Provincial prosperity, than a gratifying proof of its being conducted upon sound and enlightened principles.

"From this favorable state of things useful Institutions have been extended, which, it is hoped, will in their progress prove highly beneficial to the rising spirit of enterprize which evinces itself among all classes. I however regret that in this prosperous condition I cannot includo our Coast Fisheries, in which there is no material improvement, but which, if rightly managed, would prove an inexhaustible source of wealth.

"*Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

"I shall direct the Treasurer's Accounts to be laid immediately before you, and I am happy to say that you will find them to exhibit, upon the whole, a satisfactory statement of our Finances, affording safe grounds for anticipating that at no very distant period you may be enabled, by judicious management and wholesome economy, to make such provision as will ensure prompt payment at the Treasury, and thus render your appropriations most available for the purposes intended.

"*Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*
"*Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

"The objects to which I have now principally to call your attention are the ordinary affairs of the Province—a Province eminently favoured by nature, and which, under wise and steady Legislation, cannot fail to prosper. To you, Gentlemen,

men, has been confided the all-important task of calling its resources, and the talents and energies of its people into full activity;—from you must emanate almost every measure by which the Country can be affected, either for good or evil, and the calmness of your deliberations, with the soundness of your views, will, I earnestly trust, produce such decisions and results as will fulfil the expectations of a loyal people: for myself, feeling, as I do, that my duty to the King is inseparable from that which the true interests of this Province demands, I have only to reiterate the assurance that I desire nothing more earnestly than opportunities of co-operating with you in the furtherance of sound practical measures of general utility. There is, however, one subject to which I have to call your particular attention, that is, the enactment for regulating the Statute Labour on the public Roads, which will shortly expire; and I need not attempt to impress upon your minds in the renewal of this important Law, the benefits to be derived by the Country from a better mode of applying that labour, particularly in the Towns, where local circumstances, and the condition of the Inhabitants, point out the necessity of a different system.

"I shall take an early opportunity of communicating to you, by Message, some measures of importance, which I am commanded by His Majesty's Government to lay before you."

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Resolved, That a Committee of Privilege be appointed, to whom may be referred all matters which may hereafter arise, that may in any way be supposed to affect the Privileges of this House.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Street, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Chandler, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. End,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, in answer to his Speech.

Ordered, That Mr. End, Mr. Brown, and Mr. L. A. Wilmot, be a Committee to prepare the Address.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Standing Committee be appointed to examine and report upon Public and Private Accounts.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Woodward, Mr. Taylor, and Mr. Stewart, be a Committee therefor.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to revise the Rules and Regulations of the House of Assembly of this Province, and make further Rules and Regulations for the government thereof.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon, Mr. Hill, Mr. Crane, Mr. Johnston, and Mr. Wyer, be a Committee therefor.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to examine what Laws have lately expired, or are near expiring, and report thereon to the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. Chandler, and Mr. Robinson, be the Committee therefor.

On motion of Mr. J. M. Wilmot,

Resolved, That a Committee of Trade be appointed, to whom shall be referred all matters which may in any way affect the Trade of the Province.

Ordered, That Mr. J. M. Wilmot, Mr. Wyer, Mr. Burns, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Stewart, and Mr. Woodward, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. End,

Resolved, That the Reverend Doctor Somerville, be the Chaplain of this House.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

Resolved, That no Petition be received or Bill brought in after the 16th day of February next, except by special leave of the House. On

On motion of Mr. Freeze,

Ordered, That *Two Hundred Copies* of His Excellency's Speech be forthwith printed for the use of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to take into consideration the state of all the Roads of Communication in the Province and to report the same to the House, and also to report what sums it may be necessary to grant for repairing and improving as well the Great Roads as Bye Roads.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor, Mr. Connell, Mr. Partelow, Mr. Crane, Mr. End, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Clinch, Mr. Weldon, Mr. Miles, Mr. Freeze and Mr. Street, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Hayward.

Ordered, That the House do on Thursday next go into Committee of the whole, in consideration of His Excellency's Speech.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Ordered, That the Journals of this House be daily, or as soon as a Copy thereof can be prepared by the Clerk, printed, and that the Printer do furnish *Two Hundred Copies* for the use of the Legislature.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Trustees of Saint Andrew's Church, in the City of Saint John, praying that a Bill may pass, to perfect the title of the said Trustees to certain Lands and Tenements belonging to that Corporation, in the said City; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed whose duty it shall be to take into consideration all matters relating to Light Houses within the Province, and report thereon from time to time to the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer, Mr. M'Leod, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Stewart, and Mr. Woodward, be a Committee therefor.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to take into consideration all matters connected with the state of the Finances of the Province, and report thereon to this House.

Ordered, That Mr. Brown, Mr. Crane, and Mr. Partelow, be a Committee therefor.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to perfect the title of the Trustees of Saint Andrew's Church, in the City of Saint John, to certain Lands and Tenements belonging to that Corporation, in the said City.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in was read a first time.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Wednesday, 21st January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to dispose of certain enumerated Lots of Land held in trust by them, and belonging to the Marine Hospital in the said City.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Read a second time, A

A Bill to perfect the Title of the Trustees of Saint Andrew's Church, in the City of Saint John, to certain Lands and Tenements belonging to that Corporation, in the said City.

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for King's County, praying an Act may pass authorizing an Assessment to be made on the said County, for erecting a new Gaol, and also that a sum may be granted towards the completing the same; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from James Moran, George Brown, Ebenezer Vaughan, and 71 others, Inhabitants of the Parish of Saint Martin's, in the County of Saint John, praying a grant may pass in aid of individual subscription towards the erection of a Breakwater at Quaco Creek; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from Robert W. Crookshank, Thomas Barlow, E. D. W. Ratchford, and others, Merchants of the City of Saint John, praying for a remission of part of the Duty on Foreign Wine, when the same is imported direct from the Country of its growth; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr. Chandler, by leave, presented a Petition from John Humphrey, and others, praying a grant may pass towards the erection of an Aboideau over Hallo Creek, on the Great Road in Westmorland; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee on Roads.

Mr. Hill moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the appointment of Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Joseph Walton, and 22 others of the Grand Jury, for the County of Charlotte, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Grand Jury to examine and audit the County Accounts; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from J. T. Williston, and others, of the County of Northumberland, praying that the House may adopt measures, either by a Legislative Grant or otherwise, in order that the Public may be furnished with correct Reports of the Debates; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Ford, by leave, presented a Petition from John Wheten, and others, of the County of Kent, praying the House may adopt such measures as will secure to the Public authorized Reports of the Debates of the House; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That the Petitions of John T. Williston, and others, and John Wheten, and others, praying the House to take under their consideration the subjects of the Reports of the Debates, be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. Chandler, Mr. End, Mr. Crane, Mr. M'Leod, Mr. Woodward, and Mr. Clinch, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Brown moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to Lease a part of the Public landing at Salt Water in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to invest the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr.

Mr. End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to alter the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Gloucester.
Leave granted.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot gives notice, that he should, on Tuesday next the 27th instant, call the attention of the House to the subject of the Boundary Line, between the State of Maine and this Province, and submit certain Resolutions thereon.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Duncan Thomson, a Licenced Teacher, praying to be remunerated for Teaching a School at the Parish of Saint Andrews, in the County of Charlotte, for one year, ending in 1834; which he read.
Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Palmer, by leave, presented a Petition from James Wallace and 16 others of the Grand Jury, for the County of Westmorland, praying that an Act may pass, authorising the Grand Juries of the several Counties in the Province, and to examine and audit the County Accounts; which he read.
Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Crane,
Resolved, That the Petitions from the Grand Jurors for the Counties of Charlotte and Westmorland, praying to be allowed to audit the County Accounts, be referred to a Select Committee to Report by Bill or otherwise.
On the question for adopting the Resolution, the House divided.
Yeas 9. Nays 12.
It was therefore decided in the negative.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to revive an Act intituled "An Act for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping disorderly Houses."
Leave granted.
The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Chandler, by leave, presented a Petition from Robert Scott, Esquire, and others, Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, praying that an Act may pass, to erect the Western part of the said County into a separate and distinct County; which he read.
Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Daniel B. Roberts, of Indian Island, in the County of Charlotte, praying compensation for teaching a School at that place, for the term of Six Months ending in June, 1834; which he read.
Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from John Thompson of the Parish of West Isles, in the County of Charlotte, praying compensation for teaching a School in that Parish in 1832 and 1833; which he read.
Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Weldon, from the Committee appointed to revise the Rules and Regulations of the House, and to make Rules for the Government thereof, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and prepared a number of Rules; which he read; and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were then again read.
Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,
The House went into Committee of the whole, in consideration of the said Report, Mr. Hill in the Chair of the Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.
The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Report of the Select Committee referred to them, and had agreed to the several Rules, by them

them reported, and they being severally read at the Clerk's Table, were agreed to by the House, and are as as follow :—

Rules

FOR GOVERNMENT OF HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

1. That Prayers shall be read every day by the Chaplain of this House, at the first opening thereof.

2. No Member to come into the House, or move from one place to another, with his Hat on.

3. While the House is sitting, and any Member speaking, no Member is allowed to speak or whisper, so as to interrupt him, unless it be to speak to Order.

4. When any Member intends to speak, he is to stand up and address himself to the Speaker, and if more than one rises to speak, the Speaker is to determine who is up first, and the Member, named by him, is to speak, unless he give way to the other.

5. No Member is allowed to be standing while another is speaking.

6. When any business is in debate, if any Member arises to speak to a new business, any other Member may, but Mr. Speaker ought to interrupt him.

7. When any Member or Mr. Speaker speaks to Order, the question of Order must be decided previous to the business being proceeded in.

8. When any question is put and a division demanded, those that are for the question are to rise, and those that are against the question are to remain sitting.

9. When a motion has been made and seconded, that matter must receive a determination by the question, unless the previous question or an adjournment is moved and carried, or the motion is withdrawn by the Member who made it.

10. When a motion is made and seconded, the Member's name who made the motion is to be inserted in the Journal.

11. After a question is propounded, no Member may speak more than once to the matter, except the Member who made the motion, and he may be allowed to speak once in reply.

12. When a question is decided by vote, the number of both the affirmatives and negatives, and also the Members' names, shall be inserted in the Journal, if insisted upon by two or more Members.

13. That the Journal of the day be read the next morning, prior to any other business.

14. That the Sergeant at Arms do not permit any person to come within the House, while it is sitting, except the Members and Officers attending.

15. That all persons who will question any return of Members to serve in General Assembly, to question the same within fourteen days after the meeting of the House, and so within fourteen days after any new return shall be brought in.

16. That the House will not enter into a Scrutiny of Votes, polled at any Election of Members to serve in General Assembly, unless a Scrutiny was duly demanded of the Sheriff.

17. That any Member bringing in a Petition shall, in his place, acquaint the House with the general purport of the Petition, and ask leave for it to be read, which must be seconded before it is read.

18. That the Speaker cannot take the Chair for the purpose of proceeding on any deliberation, or doing any business whatever, except to receive the Usher of the Black Rod, or a Message from the Council, or to enforce the attendance of Members, unless at least fourteen Members, including Mr. Speaker be present; but for

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the purpose before mentioned, any number exceeding four, including Mr. Speaker, shall be deemed sufficient after the hour has arrived to which the House may be adjourned.

19. That if any Member obtain leave of this House to act as an Attorney or Counsel, in any matter at the Bar of the House, he shall not speak or vote as a Member upon such a matter.

20. That every Member be heard in his place, touching any charge brought against him, or any matter respecting his Election, return or privilege, or whenever his private interest is affected, but is to withdraw before the House proceed thereon.

21. That in case any offensive matter occurring in debate, the same shall be immediately noted down in writing, and noticed in the House the same day, otherwise it shall not be afterwards considered by the House.

22. That all Orders of the Day, which, by reason of any adjournment, shall not have been proceeded upon, shall be considered only as postponed to the next day on which the House shall sit.

23. As it might deeply intrench on the privileges of this House, for any Member to answer an accusation before the Council, either in person, or by sending his answer in writing, or by his Counsel there—It is Ordered, that no Member of this House shall either go to the Legislative Council, or send his answer in writing, or appear by Counsel to answer any accusation there, upon penalty of being committed to the Sergeant at Arms, or to Prison, during the pleasure of this House.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Thursday, 22d January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from Thomas Blacklock, a licenced Teacher, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School for the term of six months, in the year 1828, near the division line between the Counties of York and Sunbury; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Chandler, by leave, presented a Petition from Cadwallader E. Sayre, of the Parish of Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School at Sackville, in the said County, for the term of six months, in the year 1834; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from George Allen, of the Parish of Saint Patrick, in the County of Charlotte, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School at that place, for the term of eight months, ending in February, 1834; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. M'Leod moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Justices of the Peace in King's County, to assess the Inhabitants of the said County, for erecting and building a Gaol in the said County.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Gilbert, by leave, presented a Petition from Josiah Freeze, of Sussex Vale, in King's County, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School in the Parish of Brunswick,

Brunswick, in Queen's County, for one year, ending in October, 1829; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Burns, by leave, presented a Petition from John Kinnear, William M'Cannon, William Hutchinson, and others, Members of the Saint Patrick Society, at Saint John, praying a sum may be granted to enable them to extend more effectual relief to the numerous Irish Emigrants arriving at that place; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Street, from the Committee appointed to examine what Laws have expired or are near expiring, reported, That they had attended thereto, and submitted a Report, which he read; and is as follows:—

"An Act 58 Geo. 3 cap. 4, to authorize Justices of the Peace in their General Sessions to establish Ferries in their respective Counties;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act 7 Geo. 4 cap. 12, to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 4 Geo. 4 cap. 17, providing for the surrender of the principal in discharge of Bail, in Actions pending in the Supreme Court of Judicature in this Province;" and also, "An Act, 9 and 10 Geo. 4 cap. 11, in amendment thereof;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 7 Geo. 4 cap. 8, for the better extinguishing of Fires that might happen in the City of Saint John, and repealing the Acts in force relating to the same;" and the "Act of 2 Will. 4 cap. 11, in amendment thereof;" will expire on the 8th March, 1835.

"An Act, 59 Geo. 3 cap. 6, for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the Trespasses therein mentioned in the City of Saint John;" will expire on the 8th March, 1835.

"An Act, 10 and 11 Geo. 4 cap. 5, for erecting and maintaining a Boom on Kouchibouguasis in the County of Kent;" will expire on the 8th March, 1835.

"An Act, 9 Geo. 4 cap. 14, to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town,' to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham and their Vicinities in the County of Northumberland;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 5 Geo. 4 cap. 5, to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires so far as the same relates to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town;" and the "Act 7 Geo. 4 cap. 11, in amendment thereof;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 10 and 11 Geo. 4 cap. 10, to authorize Justices of the Peace in their several Counties in their General Sessions to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners, and Truckmen, and to establish the Rates and Fares to be taken for the Cartage and Truckage of Goods in the several Towns throughout the Province, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt;" will expire on the 8th March, 1835.

"An Act, 10 and 11 Geo. 4 cap. 34, to regulate the Law with regard to the course of proceeding on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court, in certain cases;" will expire on the 8th March, 1835.

"An Act, 1 Will. 4 cap. 45, to repeal the Acts in force regulating the exportation of Lumber, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof;" will expire on the 1st May, 1835. "An

"An Act, 2 Will. 4 cap. 16, to repeal an Act 50 Geo. 3, intituled 'An Act to declare the qualifications of Church Wardens and Vestrymen in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the Persons having voices in their Elections and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as the same relates to the Parish Church of St. Andrews;'" will expire 1st May, 1835.

"An Act, 3 Will. 4 cap. 16, to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Northumberland to make rules and regulations respecting the Bass Fishery in that County;" will expire 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 7 Geo. 4 cap. 18, to provide for the expenses of the Judges holding the Circuit Courts, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province and of the Clerk in those Courts;" will expire 19th March, 1835.

"An Act, 1 Will. 4 cap. 26, to regulate Assessments in this Province, and the several Acts in amendment thereof;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 3 Will. 4 cap. 28, for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties in this Province;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, 1 Will. cap. 46, to provide for the services of the Speaker of the House of Assembly, and for defraying the expenses and travelling charges of the Members of the said House attending in General Assembly;" expired with the dissolution of the late House.

"An Act, 3 Geo. 4 cap. 14, for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy, and to indemnify the Deputy Province Treasurer at Saint Andrews against any demands for monies collected for Tonnage duties since the former Acts for this purpose expired; and 'Act 9th Geo. 4 in continuation and amended thereof;'" will expire 1st April, 1835.

"An Act, for raising a Revenue in the Province;" will expire on the 1st April, 1835.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. A. STREET,
GEORGE D. ROBINSON,
EDWARD B. CHANDLER.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Burns moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the same;" also, "An Act to amend the Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John."

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from Sandford Brown, and 25 others, Inhabitants of middle Quaco District, in the Parish of Saint Martin's, in the County of Saint John, praying remuneration to the Teacher of the School at that District, for the term of three months, ending in September, 1834; and also, that an Act may pass giving power to the Inhabitants of the said Parish to hold a Town Meeting annually, for the purpose of nominating competent Persons as Parish Officers; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day for the House in Committee on His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor's Speech at the opening of the Session, being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the matter referred to them and passed two Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow:— 1.

1. *Resolved*, As the opinion of this Committee, that that part of His Excellency's Speech which relates to the Coast Fisheries should be referred to the Committee of Trade, and that they report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

2. *Resolved*, As the opinion of this Committee, that a Select Committee should be appointed to take into consideration that part of His Excellency's Speech which relates to the Statute Labor on Public Roads, to report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to take into consideration that part of His Excellency's Speech which relates to the Statute Labor on Public Roads, to report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. Ford, Mr. Brown, Mr. Hayward, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Woodward and Mr. Hanington, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to perfect the Title of the Trustees of Saint Andrew's Church, in the City of Saint John, to certain Lands and Tenements belonging to that Corporation in the said City.

Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

Ordered, That Mr. Johnston, Mr. Weldon, Mr. L. A. Wilmot and Mr. M'Leod, be added to the Committee of Finance.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, in addition to and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the 4th year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish and regulate a summary practice in the Supreme Court."

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House a Letter received from the Honorable William F. Odell, Secretary of the Province, with an abstract of the Population returns thereof.

Ordered, To lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to amend an Act, intituled an Act, to repeal an Act passed in the 50th Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to declare the qualification of Church Wardens and Vestrymen, in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the Persons having voices in their Election, and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

Leave granted.

On motion of Mr. J. M. Wilmot,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to take into consideration the expediency of improving the navigation of the Rivers, Bays, Harbours and Creeks of the Province.

Ordered, That Mr. J. M. Wilmot, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Hill, Mr. Connell, Mr. Burns, Mr. End and Mr. Taylor be a Committee therefor.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee appointed to take into consideration the Petitions of John T. Williston and others, and John Wheten and others, submitted a Report, which he read, and is as follows:— The

"The Committee to whom was referred the Petitions of John T. Williston and others, and John Wheten and others, relating to the reporting of the Debates of the House of Assembly, beg leave to report, That they cannot recommend to the House to make any Legislative provision for the object prayed for in the said Petitions.

WILLIAM CRANE, Chairman.

Committee Room, 22d January, 1835.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. End, from the Committee appointed to prepare an Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, in answer to his Speech at the opening of the Session, reported a Draft thereof, which he read, and submitted the same to the House.

It being again read at the Clerk's Table, was ordered to be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on the said draft Address.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the draft Address refered to them and agreed to the same, without making any amendment thereto.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

Resolved—Unanimously, That the Address be engrossed, signed by the Speaker, and presented to His Excellency by the whole House; and further

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to wait upon His Excellency to know when he will be pleased to receive the House with their Address.

Ordered, That Mr. End, Mr. Chandler, and Mr. Slason be a Committee for that purpose.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Friday, 23d January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. End, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to alter the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Gloucester; which was read a first time.

Mr. Chandler moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly, relating to surrender of the Principal in discharge of Bail.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to take into consideration the present state of the Lumber Act, with power to call for persons and papers, and report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That Mr. Robinson, Mr. Wyer, Mr. Street, Mr. Clinch, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Hayward, Mr. Ford, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, and Mr. Woodward, be a Committee for that purpose.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in King's County, to assess the Inhabitants of the said County, for erecting and building a Gaol in the said County:

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to amend an Act intituled an Act to repeal an Act passed in the 50th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the

the Third, intituled an Act to declare the qualifications of Church Wardens and Vestrymen, in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the persons having voices in their Election, and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews :"

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled " An Act for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same :" and also " An Act to amend the Act for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen within the City of Saint John :"

A Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the Fourth year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the 4th, intituled " An Act to establish and regulate a summary practice in the Supreme Court :"

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled " An Act for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping Disorderly Houses :"

A Bill to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a part of the Public Landing at Salt Water, in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to invest the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish :

A Bill for the appointment of Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity : and

A Bill to authorize the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to dispose of certain enumerated Lots of Land, held in trust by them and belonging to the Marine Hospital in the said City.

Mr. Gilbert moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Brown, by leave, presented a Petition from James Carter, of the Parish of Saint David, in the County of Charlotte, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School, for one year, in 1819; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy ; which was read a first time.

Mr. Connell moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the regulation of a Boom or Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber, in the Meduxnakik River, in the County of Carleton.

Leave granted.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue the Act to provide for the expences of the Judges holding Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province, and of the Clerk in those Courts.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Thomas Sime and others, Commissioners of the Poor for the Parish of St. Andrews', in the County of Charlotte, praying to be reimbursed a sum expended by them during the past year, in support of sick and destressed Emigrants; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Jane M'Crackan of Indian Island, in the County of Charlotte, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School at that place for the term of six months, ending 4th December last; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr.

Mr. End from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, to know at what time he would be pleased to receive the House, with their Address, Reported, that His Excellency was pleased to say he would receive the House, with their Address, at the hour of one o'clock this day at Government House.

Mr. Weldon moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue an Act to regulate the Law, with regard to the course of proceedings on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Weldon moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue the Acts relating to Assessments in this Province.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Burns moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to revive an Act intituled "An Act in addition to, and in amendment of an Act, intituled "An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act, authorising the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Miles, by leave, presented a Petition from Daniel Maher and 13 others, Inhabitants of the North Branch Oromocto, praying a grant in aid of individual subscription, towards the finishing a Roman Catholic Chapel, erected by them at that place; which he read—and

Upon the question that the Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply—it was decided in the negative.

It being the time appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor to receive the House with their Address, in answer to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of the Session; The House waited upon His Excellency and presented the same, which is as follows:—

"*To His Excellency Major General Sir* Archibald Campbell, *Baronet, G. C. B. Lieutenant Governor, and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.*

"THE HUMBLE ADDRESS OF THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY."

"May it please Your Excellency,

"WE the Representatives of His Majesty's Loyal Subjects the People of New Brunswick, thank Your Excellency for the Speech you have been pleased to make at the opening of this Session of the General Assembly.

"The Royal Assent to a Bill increasing the Representation of three Counties in this Province, is an additional proof of His Majesty's gracious regard for the interests of His Loyal Subjects; and we duly appreciate the promptness with which Your Excellency has carried this measure into operation.

"It is a matter of great satisfaction to know, that the present circumstances of the Province may be considered propitious, when compared with many past years.

"The abundant harvest by which the labours of the husbandman have been rewarded, cannot fail to excite deep feelings of gratitude to that Being from whom all blessings proceed.

"That our Commercial interests stand unmoved by the embarassments which have affected other Countries, is a circumstance, creditable as well to the exertions of the Mercantile Body as to the principles, by which those exertions have been actuated.

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"We hope, with Your Excellency, that all the useful Institutions now in operation, will, in their progress, prove highly beneficial to the rising spirit of enterprize, which evinces itself among all classes; but we sincerely regret that so copious a source of wealth as our Coast Fisheries, should by any improper management, be found in an unprosperous condition,

"We thank Your Excellency for directing the Treasurer's Accounts to be laid before us, and we rejoice to hear that our Finances are in such a state of progressive improvement, as to enable us, by judicious management and wholesome economy, to insure prompt payment at the Treasury,—a measure absolutely necessary to render our appropriations available for the purposes intended.

"We are deeply impressed with the great importance of that trust reposed in us by our fellow Subjects,—a trust, the duties of which, we shall best perform, by adopting (within the limits of our power) that wise and steady system of Legislation which cannot fail, under Providence, to call into action those energies and natural advantages which this Province and its Inhabitants possess; and we assure Your Excellency of our firm conviction, that it is your earnest desire to adopt such measures as may conduce as well to the honor of our King as to the welfare of his Subjects, a desire with which His Majesty's Representative in this Province shall ever find the House of Assembly most ready to co-operate.

"The Laws for regulating Statute Labour on the Public Roads, shall receive that attention which so important a subject demands.

"Your Excellency may rely upon our sincere desire to give a candid and dispassionate consideration, to all measures which Your Excellency may, by command of His Majesty's Government, be pleased to lay before us, and also to all other measures which Your Excellency may communicate to us by special Message."

Being returned,

Mr. Speaker reported, that His Excellency had been pleased to make the following reply :—

"*Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

"I thank you for this Address, and for the gratifying assurance which it contains of your readiness to devote your best attention to the consideration of the various objects recommended to your notice."

Mr. End gave notice, that he would, at an early day, bring under the notice of the House, the expediency of procuring a revision of the Laws of the Province, and of publishing the same.

Mr. Weldon, by leave, presented a Petition from John Wheten, John Jardine, David M'Almon and others, Merchants and Mill owners, in the County of Kent, praying that an Act may pass regulating the driving of Timber and Logs over the Mill dams, on the different Rivers in that County ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from Archibald Duncan and William Loch, of Miramichi, in the County of Northumberland, Merchants, praying a return of duty on fifty barrels of Oat Meal, and one hundred barrels of Pork, imported into this Province from Leith, in the month of October last ; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided—

Yeas 8. Nays 17.

It was thereupon decided in the negative.

Mr. Robinson moved for leave to bring in a Bill, further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the Trespasses therein mentioned, in the City of Saint John.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time. On

On motion of Mr. Crane,

Resolved, That the House do, on Monday next, go into Committee of the whole, in consideration of Ways and Means of raising a Revenue in this Province.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from John Francis Munsey of Halifax, in the Province of Nova-Scotia, Merchant, praying to be remunerated for expenses incurred in extending relief to persons Shipwrecked on St. Paul's Island; which he read.

And on the question that the Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply,

It was decided in the negative.

Mr. Woodward moved for leave to bring in a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force, for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose."

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Chandler moved for leave to bring a Bill, to alter the boundary lines between certain Parishes in the County of Westmorland.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Saturday, 24th January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. End, by leave, presented a Petition from Duncan Bain, of Bathurst, in the County of Gloucester, a licenced Teacher, praying the Provincial allowance for teach- a School at that place, from February to November, in the last year; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the prohibiting and suppressing of Lotteries in this Province.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Gilbert moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia.

Upon the question for granting leave, the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Freeze,
Taylor,	Ford,
Johnston,	Partelow,
J. M. Wilmot,	Street,
Stewart,	M'Leod,
Crane,	Palmer.
Woodward,	Hanington,
End.	Weldon,
	Burns.

And it was thereupon decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to take into consideration the Laws regulating the Militia of this Province, and to report to the House what alterations they deem expedient to make thereon.

Ordered,

Ordered, That Mr. Allen, Mr. M'Leod, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Palmer, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Burns, and Mr. Street, be a Committee for that purpose.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act, to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose:"

A Bill further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the trespasses therein mentioned, in the City of Saint John:

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act in addition to and amendment of an Act, intituled 'An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act, authorizing the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City:

A Bill to continue the Act relating to Assessments in this Province:

A Bill to continue an Act to regulate the Law, with regard to the course of proceeding on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court:

A Bill to alter the Boundary Lines between certain Parishes in the County of Westmorland:

A Bill to continue the Act to provide for the expences of the Judges holding the Circuit Courts, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province, and of the Clerk in those Courts:

A Bill for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

A Bill for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning, in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish:

A Bill to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly, relating to the surrender of the Principal in discharge of Bail: and

A Bill to alter the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Gloucester.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Resolved, That the following be adopted as additional Rules of this House, to those passed on the 21st instant:—

Additional Rules

FOR GOVERNMENT OF HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

24. Whereas much of the time of the House is unnecessarily taken up in discussions on Bills of a private or local nature, introduced sometimes without any Petitions from the Counties and Persons which they are intended to affect, therefore *Resolved*, That in future it be a standing Rule of this House, not to be departed from, except in very particular cases, that no Bill of a private or local nature shall be received by the House, unless such Bill has been previously read at some General Sessions of the Peace, for the County interested in such Bill, in the presence of the Grand Jury, and a certificate be endorsed thereon by the Clerk of the Peace, that the same was so read, or unless such Bill has been previously published, for the space of one month, in some one of the Newspapers in this Province.

25. That no monies hereafter be appropriated for Bye Roads or Bridges, in any Parish of this Province, in any year, unless it shall appear by the certificate of the Clerk of the Peace for the County, in which such Parish is situated, to be filed with the Clerk of this House, that a return has been made, in the same year, by the Commissioners of Roads of such Parish, that the Statute Labour has been faithfully performed by the Inhabitants of the Parish, for which any money is intended to be granted, or that the delinquents have been prosecuted according to Law.

On motion of Mr. Burns,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same;" and also, An Act, to amend the Act, for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John."

Mr. Woodward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from Charles M'Pherson, John M'Bean, and Nathaniel Blake, of the County of York, praying that an Act may pass to provide for the regulation of a Boom or Booms, for securing Timber and Logs on the Nashwaak river, in the said County; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a public Boom, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber on the Nashwaak river, in the County of York.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to dispose of certain enumerated Lots of Land, held in trust by them, and belonging to the Marine Hospital in the said City.

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed, as amended.

Mr. Hill moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to amend an Act passed in the 9th and 10th years of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Statute Law relative to offences against the Person, and to provide for the more effectual punishment of such offences.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act, for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping Disorderly Houses."

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, in addition to an Act made and passed in the 28th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, authorizing the Justices of the General Sessions, in the several Counties in this Province, to make Rules and Regulations respecting Markets and Ferries.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Stewart moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to erect a new Parish in the County of Gloucester.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the appointment of Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity.

Mr. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act, to amend an Act, intituled an Act, to repeal an Act, passed in the 50th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to declare the qualifications of Church Wardens and Vestrymen, in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the persons having voices in their Election, and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews.

Mr. Clinch in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a part of the Public Landing at Salt Water in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to invest the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish.

Mr. Street in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Connell, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to provide for the regulation of a Boom or Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber in the Meduxnakik River, in the County of Carleton, which was read a first time.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, and an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in the said Parish."

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the 4th year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish and regulate a Summary practice in the Supreme Court."

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. Hill moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate Pleadings in the Common Law Courts of this Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from John Flinn, praying to be remunerated for teaching a School at Westfield, in King's County, for one year, ending in August 1829; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to take into consideration the Act relating to Parish Schools, and to report such alterations therein as they may deem expedient.

Ordered, That Mr. Johnston, Mr. Crane, Mr. Brown, Mr. M'Leod, and Mr. L. A. Wilmot, be a Committee therefor.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'Clock.

Monday, 26th January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Palmer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the payment of the Grand and Petit Jurors.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from Gilbert Purdy, Innkeeper at the Government House, so called, on the Nerepis Road, praying remuneration for assisting distressed Emigrants travelling that road; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from John M'Kean, as Foreman of the Grand Jury for the County of Charlotte, praying an Act may pass providing for the defraying the expense of Grand Juries while in attendance on the Courts; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Elizabeth Briscoe of Saint Andrews, in the County of Charlotte, praying remuneration for teaching a School at that place, during the past year; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Woodward moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the facilitating the recovery of the Wages of Seamen in the Merchant Service and coasting Trade of this Province.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping Disorderly Houses:"

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time, as engrossed,

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to amend an Act intituled an Act to repeal an Act passed in the 50th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled an Act to declare the qualifications of Church Wardens and Vestrymen, in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the persons having voices in their Election, and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews:"

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time, as engrossed, A

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same:" and also "An Act to amend the Act for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen within the City of Saint John:"

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Burns take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to dispose of certain enumerated Lots of Land, held in trust by them and belonging to the Marine Hospital in the said City.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to perfect the Title of the Trustees of Saint Andrew's Church, in the City of Saint John, to certain Lands and Tenements belonging to that Corporation, in the said City.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass,

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the expences of the Legislature.

Leave granted.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province to inspect the Public Accounts, and inquire into the nature of the Public Charges against the said Counties.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town;" and an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in the said Parish:"

A Bill to provide for the regulation of a Boom or Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber in the Maduxnikik River, in the County of Carleton:

A Bill to erect a New Parish in the County of Gloucester:

A Bill in addition to an Act made and passed in the 28th year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, authorizing the Justices of the General Sessions, in the several Counties in this Province, to make rules and regulations respecting Markets and Ferries:

A Bill to amend an Act passed in the 9th and 10th years of the Reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Statute Law, relating to offences against the person, and to provide for the more effectual punishment of such offences:

A Bill to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a public Boom, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber on the Nashwalk River, in the County of York: and

A Bill for prohibiting and suppressing of Lotteries in this Province.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in Force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham, and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland.'"

Leave

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, delivered the following Messages:—

"New Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 26th January*, 1835.

"Archibald Campbell.

"THE Lieutenant Governor communicates to the House of Assembly, a Copy of a Dispatch from the Secretary of State, in answer to the Petitions of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, on the subject of Timber Duties.

"A. C."

"*Downing-street, 2nd May*, 1834.

"Sir,

"I HAVE the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Dispatch, No. 15, of the 18th of March last, transmitting Petitions from the Legislative Council and House of Assembly of New Brunswick to the King and both Houses of Parliament, praying that no alteration may take place in the Timber Duties; but that the Timber Trade of the Province may continue to receive that protection which is believed to be essential to its existence. I have to acquaint you, in reply, that it is not the intention of His Majesty's Government to propose to Parliament any alteration in those duties affecting the Trade of the present year, and that no step will be taken without the fullest consideration of the Colonial interests involved.

"I have the honor, &c.

(Signed) "E. G. STANLEY.

"Major General Sir Archibald Campbell, G. C. B.
"&c. &c. &c."

"New Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 26th January*, 1835.

"Archibald Campbell.

"THE Lieutenant Governor, in obedience to the commands of His Majesty's Government, communicates to the House of Assembly the Copy of a Dispatch from the Secretary of State, with its Inclosures, assigning the reasons why His Majesty has not been pleased to confirm the Act passed by the Legislature of this Province in the year 1832, "to provide for the Custom House Establishment," and expressing the confident expectation of His Majesty's Government that the House will, in lieu thereof, substitute a Bill making an effectually permanent provision for that service."

"A. C."

"*Treasury Chambers, 15th March*, 1834.

"Sir,

"I AM commanded by the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury to return herewith the Act of the Legislature of New Brunswick, submitted to this Board in your letter of 3rd of November last; and also, to transmit a copy of a Report of the Commissioners of Customs, of the 7th instant, thereon, and I am to request that in laying the same before Mr. Secretary Stanley you will call his attention to the terms of the Address to His Majesty from the House of Assembly, dated 31st March, 1831, to which this Act is stated to have reference, and to the Communication from this Department to Lord Howick, of the 4th January, 1832, and will observe to him that my Lords cannot, by any means, consider that the provisions of the present Act fulfil the pledge given by the House of Assembly in that Address, "to make a permanent grant to His Majesty of £4,250 sterling, per annum, for the payment of the Officers of Customs, either in gross or in such other way as His Majesty might direct, payable annually, out of the duties received by virtue of the Acts of the Imperial Parliament, in the event of all such duties being paid over to the Treasurer of the Province." My Lords, consequently, cannot recommend that the Act should be approved of, or should be permitted to pass into a Law, more especially as it has been a paramount object, in the arrangement made with the Legislatures of other Colonies, to secure a permanent provision for the payment of the sum to be contributed from the Colonial Funds towards the expences of the Custom's Establishments.

"The desire of my Lords to bring the question of the provision for the payment of the Custom's Establishment in New Brunswick to a distinct and amicable settlement was sufficiently evinced in the readiness with which they acceded to the proposal in the Address of 31st March, 1831, and to the immediate directions they gave for carrying that proposal into effect, so far as related to the relief of the Colony, from all charge for the Custom's Department exceeding the amount of the proffered contribution, without awaiting the passing of an Act by the Legislature.

"My Lords would suggest that the Lieutenant Governor should be instructed to call the attention of the House of Assembly to this circumstance, and to the unequivocal terms in which the offer of the permanent provision of £4,250, per annum, specifically charged upon duties, accruing under Acts of the Imperial Parliament was made, and to express to the House the confident expectation of His Majesty's Government, that the Legislature of New Brunswick will not hesitate to redeem the pledge thus distinctly given and unreservedly accepted.

"I am, &c.

(Signed) "J. STEWART.

"R. W. Hay, Esquire."

"*May*

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly, relating to the surrender of the Principal in discharge of Bail.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the Trespasses therein mentioned, in the City of Saint John.

Mr. Burns in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill for the appointment of Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, they had agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed, as amended.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act, to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

TUESDAY, 27th January, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to provide for the payment of the Grand and Petit Jurors:

A Bill for facilitating the recovery of the wages of Seamen in the Merchant Service and Coasting Trade of this Province:

A Bill to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province, to inspect the Public Accounts, and to inquire into the nature of the Public charges against the said Counties: and

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland.'" On

On motion of Mr. J. M. Wilmot,

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow be added to the Committee of Trade.

On motion of Mr. Burns,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act, in addition to, and amendment of an Act, intituled 'An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act, authorizing the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City.'"

Mr. Hanington in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for prohibiting and suppressing of Lotteries in this Province.

Mr. Chandler in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same, with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue the Acts relating to Assessments in this Province.

Mr. Ford in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, delivered the following Messages :—

"New-Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 27th January*, 1835.

"Archibald Campbell.

"THE Lieutenant Governor communicates to the House of Assembly, a Copy of a Dispatch from His Grace the Duke of Wellington, promising, for the use of this Province, a Set of the Works published by the Record Commission in England; and he has the fullest confidence that the House, duly appreciating the value of this donation, will see the propriety of making provision for a suitable place of deposit, as suggested in His Grace's Letter.

"A. C."

"*Downing Street, 1st December*, 1834.

"Sir,

"I have the honor to acquaint you, that the attention of my Predecessor seems to have been drawn from various quarters to the gratification which would be experienced in the principal British Possessions in North America, if they were provided with Sets of Works published in England, with so much care and at so much expense, by the Record Commission. It is almost needless to say that a strong wish was felt to seize so suitable an occasion of offering to His Majesty's Subjects in North America a token of the regard felt for them by the Government of the Mother Country, and also of furnishing them with the means of cherishing that interest which it is to be hoped they may long retain in the history and institutions of this Kingdom. An application was therefore made to the Record Commissioners, and I have now the pleasure to acquaint you that they will be ready to supply a sufficient number of their Publications to afford one copy to each British Colony on the Continent of North America, besides an extra copy for the use of the important and flourishing City of Montreal. The Works will be forwarded to you with as little delay as possible. I must devolve upon yourself the task of selecting the place of deposit for the gift, merely remarking that it should be a public Library of sufficient permanence, security and extent, to ensure the safe keeping of the Records, and to justify the donation; and that of course it should be a spot accessible to all Members of the Legislature.

"I have the honor, &c. &c.

(Signed) "WELLINGTON.

"Major General Sir Archibald Campbell, Bart. G. C. B."

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New-Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 27th January,* 1835.

"ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

"AN application having been made to the Lieutenant Governor, by direction of the Commissioners of Greenwich Hospital, for sums claimed as due to that Institution from the Masters and Crews of the Provincial Revenue Cutters Elizabeth and Defiance, he submits the Papers relating to this application to the consideration of the con. House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act to regulate the Law with regard to the course of proceeding on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town;" and an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further Regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen in the said Parish."

Mr. J. M. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the Fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province; and also in the Mayor's Court of the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of Causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined, or Interlocutary Judgment signed.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Weldon, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the County of Kent, setting forth that 223 Shipwrecked Emigrants, from the Barque Proselyte, were landed at Richibucto during the month of May last, many of them sick, lame and destitute of clothing; and that expenses were incurred in extending to them necessary relief, and praying to be reimbursed the same; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a public Boom, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber on the Nashwalk River, in the County of York.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. End,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to alter the time of holding the

the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Gloucester.

Mr. Freeze in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill in addition to an Act made and passed in the 28th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, authorizing the Justices of the General Sessions, in the several Counties in this Province, to make rules and regulations respecting Markets and Ferries.

Mr. Gilbert in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of this House of yesterday, on the subject of certain Bonds and Securities in the hands of the present Attorney General, and other particulars as are set forth in the said Address, reported, that they had attended thereto, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, that he would direct the information sought for, to be laid before the House.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, in pursuance to notice given on Wednesday the 21st instant, brought under notice of the House the subject of the Boundary Line between the State of Maine and this Province—Whereupon,

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Whereas it is of the utmost importance to His Majesty's Subjects, that the Boundary between the State of Maine and this Province should be established,—Therefore

Resolved, Unanimously, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to afford such information to the House, relative to the negociations now pending between His Majesty's Government and that of the United States, on the subject, as His Excellency may deem expedient and proper, in order that the House may be the better enabled to prepare an humble and dutiful Address to His Majesty thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. End, and Mr. Street, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

Mr. Allen having made application to the House to be permitted to withdraw from the Committee for taking into consideration the Laws regulating the Militia, it was complied with; and thereupon ordered that Mr. Wyer be added in his stead.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to authorise the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties, in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners, and Truckmen, and to establish the rates and fares to be taken for the cartage and truckage of Goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province; and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt."

Leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to amend an Act passed in the ninth and tenth years of the Reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Statute Law relative to offences against the Person, and to provide for the more effectual punishment of such offences."

Mr. Street in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered,

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill, in addition to and amendment of an Act, made and passed in the fourth year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish and regulate a Summary practice in the Supreme Court."

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Stewart,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to erect a new Parish in the County of Gloucester.

Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Ford moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to erect the South-Western part of the Parish of Richibucto into a separate and distinct Parish.

Leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham, and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland.'"

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 28th January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Trustees of the Savings' Bank in the City of Saint John, praying that a Grant may pass to indemnify certain Individuals from a voluntary obligation they entered into, with the Depositors in that Institution, to replace the amount embezzled from its Funds by the late Secretary; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend Gilbert L. Wiggins, officiating Minister of Grace Church in the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, praying a Grant in aid of individual subscription towards establishing a free school in that Parish; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from Joshua Chappell, of the Parish of Westmorland, in the County of Westmorland, praying a Grant may pass to aid him in the establishment of a Packet to ply between Prince Edward Island and the Bay Verte, in that County; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to continue "An Act, intituled "An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties, in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the rates and fares to be taken for the cartage and truckage of Goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province, and to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt; which was read a first time.

Mr. Weldon moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the several Rivers and their Branches in the County of Kent, and to define the space to be left in each Mill dam to pass Timber and Logs through.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to alter the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Gloucester.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. End take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham, and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland.'"

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to amend an Act passed in the 9th and 10th years of the Reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Statute Law, relating to offences against the person, and to provide for the more effectual punishment of such offences."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to alter the Boundary Lines between certain Parishes in the County of Westmorland.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass,

Ordered, That Mr. Chandler take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue an Act to regulate the Law, with regard to the course of proceeding on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly, relating to the surrender of the Principal in discharge of Bail.

Resolved,

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Chandler take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose:"

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the trespasses therein mentioned, in the City of Saint John.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Robinson take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act in addition to and amendment of an Act, intituled 'An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act, authorizing the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City.'"

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Burns take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for prohibiting and suppressing of Lotteries in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a second time,

A Bill to regulate the Fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province, and also in the Mayor's Court of the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of Causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined or Interlocutory Judgment signed.

On motion of Mr. Partelow.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to direct to be laid before this House, a detailed Account of the Expenditure and Income of King's College, for 1834; also the number and names of the Students now residing in the said College.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Robinson, and Mr. Morehouse, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a detailed Account of the Income of the Casual and Territorial Revenue for the past year, and the source and sources from whence the same was derived; also the quantity of Timber and Saw Logs licensed; the quantity of Land sold or leased; the names of the purchasers or Lessees, and the price at which the same was sold:—Also, the amount, if any, paid by the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Land Company, under their purchase from Government;—and also, a detailed Account showing the Expenditure of those Revenues during the said period.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon, Mr. Freeze, and Mr. Clinch, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

On motion of Mr. Slason,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor,

Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to direct the Returns and Accounts of the Custom House at Saint John and Saint Andrews, for the Year ending 5th January instant, to be laid before the House.

Ordered, That Mr. Slason, Mr. Gilbert, and Mr. Hill, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

The Order of the Day for the House in Committee on the Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into consideration of the matters referred to them, the Committee passed several Resolutions; which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow :—

Resolved, In the opinion of this Committee, that the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, of the 26th instant, with the Dispatch and Report accompanying it, on the subject of the Act to provide for the Custom House Establishment, should be referred to a select Committee to report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Resolved, In the opinion of this Committee, that the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, of the 26th instant, with the Dispatch and Documents accompanying it, on the subject of the Post Office, should be referred to a select Committee to report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Resolved, That the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, on the subject of making provision for a suitable place of deposit for a Set of the Books, published by the Record Commission in England, which are to be presented to this Province by His Majesty's Government, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Resolved, That the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, of the 27th instant, with the Documents accompanying it, relating to Greenwich Hospital claims on the Province, for the Crews of the Revenue Cutters Defiance and Elizabeth, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

And the Chairman further reported, that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, laid before the House, the Province Treasurer's Accounts for the past year.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to examine and report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Crane, Mr. Woodward, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Wyer, Mr. Taylor and Mr. Stewart be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address, praying for information on the subject of the Boundary line between this Province and the State of Maine, reported, that they had attended to that duty, and His Excellency in answer thereto was pleased to say, that he had not received any communications whatever from His Majesty's Government on the subject, during the progress of the negociations.

Mr. Ford, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to erect the South Western part of the Parish of Richibucto, into a separate and distinct Parish; which was read a first time.

Mr. End, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to provide for the expences of the Legislature; which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Palmer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the payment of the Grand and Petit Jurors.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and, in the Committee, the following was moved :—

Resolved,

Resolved, That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed for three months.

Upon which the Committee divided, and it was carried in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a select Committee be appointed to take into consideration the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Documents accompanying it, relating to the Act to provide for the Custom House Establishment, and to report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Chandler, and Mr. Weldon, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to increase the Fees of Petit Jurors.

On the question for granting leave, the House divided,

Yeas, 12. Nays, 17.

And it was decided in the negative.

Mr. M'Leod, from the Committee appointed to take into consideration the Laws regulating the Militia of this Province, with directions to report to the House what alterations they may deem it expedient to make thereon, reported, that they had attended thereto, and submitted a Report; which he read, and is as follows :—

That the Committee deem it expedient that the sixth Section of the Act 6 Geo. IV, chap. 18, and such part or parts of the 15th Section of the said Act as entitle the Adjutants and Sergeant Majors of Battalions to pay, be repealed.

WM. M'LEOD, *Chairman.*
L. BURNS,
THOS. GILBERT,
L. A. WILMOT,
PHILIP PALMER,
J. A. STREET,
THOS. WYER.

Committee Room, 28th January, 1835.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at half-past ten o'clock.

THURSDAY, 29th January, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed for the purpose of taking into consideration the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Documents accompanying it, regarding the Post Office, with instructions to report thereon by Bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That Mr. Johnston, Mr. Weldon, and Mr. Street be a Committee therefor

Mr. Johnston, from the Committee appointed to take into consideration the Act relating to Parish Schools, submitted a report, which he read, and is as follows :—

"*First.* That not less than five, and not exceeding seven fit persons residing in each County of this Province, be appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, Commissioners, for the purpose of examining all persons who may hereafter be applicants for the situation of Teachers of Parish Schools, within this Province, and that any two of them be competent to perform this service.

"*Second.* That it shall be the duty of the Commissioners, in conducting such examinations, to enquire into the moral character of every applicant, as well as his qualifications otherwise; and being satisfied therewith, recommend him to the Lieutenant Gover-

nor for a Licence to teach a School in that County only, wherein he shall have been examined; and that the said Commissioners be required to exercise a superintendant care over the Schools in the several Parishes, in their respective Counties, and to report annually to the Lieutenant Governor the progress of Education within the same; and also forward to the Secretary of the Province, for the information of the Legislature, a detailed account of the expenditure of the Funds placed at their disposal.

"*Third.* That the Commissioners, or a major part of them, be authorized to draw quarterly or half yearly from the Province Treasury, one quarter or one half part of such amount, as may, by Warrant, be placed at their disposal, for the payment of Parish School Masters, and with which they immediately pay the wages due to the several Parish Teachers, provided they produce to the Commissioners the Certificate of the Trustees of Schools, required by the seventh Section of the said Act.

"HUGH JOHNSTON, Chairman.

"*Committee Room, 29th January* 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Resolved, That an humble and dutiful Address be presented to His Majesty, on the subject of the Northeastern Boundary, between the United States and this Province: and further

Resolved, That His Majesty's Legislative Council be requested to join in such Address.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot communicate the same to the Council, and request they will join therein.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Whereas it has been communicated to this House, by Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, that a Set of Books, published by the Record Commission in England, have been presented to this Province, by His Majesty's Government, which are soon expected to arrive:—And whereas it is considered necessary that a suitable place of deposit should be established for this munificent donation, commensurate with its great value, and its consequent importance to the Loyal people of the Province, as tending to foster and cherish that deep interest which is so universally felt in the history and the institutions of the mother Country:—Therefore

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to report to the House the description and extent of a Building, requisite to contain the said Work, and estimated amount necessary to be appropriated for the purpose.

Ordered, That Mr. End, Mr. Crane, and Mr. Taylor be a Committee therefor.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, delivered the following Message:—

"New-Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 28th January,* 1835.

"Archibald Campbell.

"THE Lieutenant Governor submits to the House of Assembly, an Address of the Legislative Council, suggesting the want of additional accommodations; and he recommends to the Honse to make suitable provision for this important object.

"He also submits an application of the Chief Justice, for additional accommodations for the Supreme Court, which he in like manner recommends to the favorable consideration of the House."

"A. C."

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

Resolved, That the Correspondence with the Government of Quebec, on the subject of Saint Paul's Island, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency, on the 26th instant, be referred to the Committee on Light Houses.

Mr. Gilbert moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia.

Leave granted.

On

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Resolved, That a Bill to continue the Acts relating to Assessments in this Province, be re-committed.

The House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into re-consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Read a second time,

A Bill to erect the South Western part of the Parish of Richibucto, into a separate and distinct Parish: and

A Bill to provide for the Expences of the Legislature.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Thomas P. Marter, of the City of Saint John, praying to be remunerated for services performed as Tide Surveyor at that place; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

And on motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That the said Petition of Thomas P. Marter be referred to a Select Committee to examine and report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. End, Mr. Palmer, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Hayward and Mr. Clinch, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from Samuel Ledlie & Co. of the Town of Newry in Ireland, and Agents for the Owners of the Brig Neptune, praying that the excess of duty paid at the Treasury, under the Emigrant Act, on Passengers which arrived at Saint John in that Vessel in May last, be refunded; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend James Dunphy, Roman Catholic Parish Priest at the City of St. John, and 230 others of his Parishoners, praying aid towards establishing a School at that place; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to afford to this House such information as he may be in possession of, relative to the Income arising from the Post Office Establishments, in the Provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, the Canadas, and Prince Edward Island.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. M'Leod and Mr. Woodward, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from Ezekiel Barlow and Sons, Merchants at Saint John, praying the Drawback may be granted them on Rum exported to Quebec in April last; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the Fees in actions on the Record side of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province; and also in the Mayor's Court in the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined or Interlocutory Judgment signed.

Mr. Woodward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

On

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for facilitating the recovery of the wages of Seamen in the Merchant Service, and Coasting Trade of this Province.

Mr. Brown in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

Mr. Weldon, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of the House, relative to the Income and Expenditure of the King's Casual Revenue, for the last year, reported; that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to reply, that the wishes of the House should be complied with.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province, to inspect the Public accounts, and to inquire into the nature of the public charges against the said Counties.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into considerarion of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

Mr. Slason, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of the House, requesting His Excellency would be pleased to direct the returns from the Custom Houses at St. John and St. Andrews to be laid before the House, reported, that they had attended thereto, and that His Excellency was pleased to reply, that the wishes of the House should be attended to.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Address of the House, on the subject of obtaining information regarding the Income and Expenditure of King's College for the year 1834, and other matters, as set forth in the Address, reported, that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, the information sought for should be laid before the House.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Friday, 30th January, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of New-Brunswick, praying that an Act may pass to increase the Capital Stock, and to extend the Charter of the said Bank; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to to continue the Acts relating to assessments in this Province.

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made an amendment thereto, and then agreed to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended. Mr.

Mr. Chandler, from the Select Committee, to whom was referred the Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, relating to the Act to provide for the Custom House establishment, reported, that they had taken the same, with the Documents accompanying it, under consideration, and prepared a Bill under the title of "A Bill to provide for the Custom House establishment in New-Brunswick;" which he was directed to submit to the House.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The said Bill being handed in, was read a first time.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from James Gallagher, of Saint John, praying to be reimbursed for losses sustained on a contract for cutting down and improving the Road between Saint John and Indian Town; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and lie on the Table, the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Robinson,	Mr. Freeze,
Chandler,	Hill,
End,	Clinch,
Woodward,	Wyer,
Partelow,	Brown,
J. M. Wilmot,	Gilbert,
L. A. Wilmot,	Miles,
Burns,	Connell,
Slason,	Street,
Hayward,	Weldon,
M'Leod,	Palmer,
Johnston,	Stewart,
Allen,	Ford,
Morehouse,	Hanington.
Taylor.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

Mr. Gilbert, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia; which was read first time.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Francis Carvill of the Town of Newry, in Ireland, praying that the excess of Duty paid at the Treasury, under the Emigrant Act, on Passengers which arrived at Saint John, in the Brig Cupid, in May last, may be refunded; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the further increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of New-Brunswick, and to amend and continue the Act for incorporating the said Bank.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Read a second time,

A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the several Rivers and their Branches, in the County of Kent, and to define the space to be left in each Mill dam to pass Timber and Logs through: and

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties, in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the Rates and Fares to be taken for the Cartage and Truckage of goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt."

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from James Hayes, a settler on the Great Road between Bathurst and Miramichi, praying aid towards keeping a House for the accommodation of Travellers on that Road; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill, in addition to an Act made and passed in the 28th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, authorizing the Justices of the General Sessions, in the several Counties in this Province, to make Rules and regulations respecting Markets and Ferries.

Mr. Gilbert in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same, with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

A Message from His Majesty's Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the following Bills, without any amendment:—

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to amend an Act intituled an Act to repeal 'An Act passed in the 50th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled an Act to declare the qualifications of Church Wardens and Vestrymen, in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the persons having voices in their Election, and to make more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews:'" and

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping Disorderly Houses:"

And he further informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same:" and also "An Act to amend the Act for the better extinguishing of Fires, that may happen within the City of Saint John," with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

Read third time as engrossed,

A Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the Fourth year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the fourth, intituled "An Act to establish and regulate a summary practice in the Supreme Court."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to erect a new Parish in the County of Gloucester.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Stewart take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town," and an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in the said Parish."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a part of the Public Landing at Salt Water, in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to invest the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass. *Ordered,*

Ordered, Mr. Brown take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a public Boom, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber on the Nashwalk River, in the County of York.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the Bill to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province, to inspect the Public Accounts, and to enquire into the nature of the Public charges against the said Counties.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, they had agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed, as amended.

Mr. Street, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of the House of yesterday, on the subject of the Post Office Establishments, reported, that they had attended thereto, and His Excellency was pleased to say, that he was in possession of no accounts relative to that Establishment in Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island or the Canadas, but those of New Brunswick should be immediately laid before the House.

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to examine into the Law regulating the Election of Members to serve in General Assembly in this Province, and to report what alterations they deem expedient to make therein.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Weldon, Mr. End, Mr. Miles, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Johnston, and Mr. M'Leod, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Hayward,

Ordered, That Mr. Slason be added to the Committee to take into consideration the state of the Lumber Act.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, 31st January, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendment made by the Council, to—

A Bill to continue An Act, intituled "An Act, for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same; and also An Act, to amend the Act, for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John."

The amendment being read and the question put thereon,

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Burns return the Bill to the Council and acquaint them therewith.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Board of Health for the City and County of Saint John, praying that a grant may pass to reimburse them for expences

pences incurred to prevent the introduction of Cholera within their jurisdiction, and to arrest its progress subsequently; and also a grant towards defraying the charges of erecting suitable buildings on Partridge Island, for the comfort of Emigrants and accommodation of the Health Officer there stationed; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. L. A Wilmot,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying His Excellency to inform this House what portion of the proceeds of the Sale of the Town Lots in Fredericton has been applied in promoting the improvement of the Town, agreeably to Mr. Secretary Stanley's instructions thereon, in August 1833: and also, praying His Excellency to direct to be laid before this House, a detailed account of whatever expenditure has been made of the said money.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Burns, and Mr. Morehouse be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

Mr. Morehouse, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the County of Carleton, praying an Act may pass altering one of the Terms of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the said County; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Hanington moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Justices of the Peace in General Sessions in this Province, to exempt the Acadian French from the assessment of Poor Rates.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, praying that an Act may pass authorizing Assessments to be made thereon, to pay a proportion of the Contingent Expences, and also to pay off the balance of the County Debt; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Robinson moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize assessments upon the City and County of Saint John, to pay a proportion of the Contingent Expences of the City and County, and the balance of the County Debt.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia:

A Bill to provide for the Custom House establishment in New-Brunswick: and

A Bill to provide for the further increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of New Brunswick, and to amend and continue the Act for incorporating the said Bank.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province, to inspect the Public Accounts, and to inquire into the nature of the Public charges against the said Counties.

And on the question that the said Bill do pass, and be sent to the Council for concurrence, the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Woodward,	Mr. Morehouse,
Haniington,	J. M. Wilmot,
Palmer,	Robinson,
Ford,	Weldon,
Stewart,	Chandler,
Partelow,	Crane.
Street,	
Burns,	
Connell,	
Clinch,	
M'Leod,	
Gilbert,	
Wyer,	
Johnston,	
Brown,	
Hill,	
Freeze,	
L. A. Wilmot,	
Taylor.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

Resolved, thereupon, that it pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue the Act relating to Assessments in this Province:

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Burns, by leave, presented a Petition from Patrick Harrigan, and 18 others, resident in the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, praying that that part of the Act which imposes Fines on Cattle running at large, may be repealed ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Connell, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the County of Carleton, praying a further Grant to enable them to discharge the Debts contracted, in erecting the Public Buildings in the said County; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act, to authorise the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties in their General Sessions to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the rates and fares to be taken for the cartage and truckage of Goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province, and to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt."

Mr. End in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish.

Mr. Burns in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue the Act to provide for the expences of the Judges holding the Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province, and of the Clerk in those Courts.

Mr. Palmer in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on the Report from the Select Committee on the Act relating to Parish Schools—submitted to the House on the 28th instant.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and in the Committee, the following Resolution was moved:—

"*Resolved*, That in the opinion of this Committee, it is expedient that Commissioners be appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, in each County of this Province, for the purpose of examining all Applicants for the situation of Teachers of Parish Schools:"

To which it was moved, as an amendment, to strike out all after the word "Committee," and insert—

"A Board of Education should be appointed for each County, by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, and that it shall be the peculiar duty of such Board to examine into the qualifications and moral character of all Applicants for Licence to teach a School: And further, that no Licence for teaching a School should be granted to any person or persons without a Certificate from such Board, of the Applicant's qualification and good moral character."

That upon the question for adopting the amendment, the Committee divided—

Yeas, 7. Nays, 23.

And it was decided in the negative.

The question was then taken upon the original Resolution, when the Committee again divided—

Yeas, 13. Nays, 17.

And it was also decided in the negative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, in addition to and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the third year of the reign of his late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force, relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Ford,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to erect the South-Western part of the Parish of Richibucto into a separate and distinct Parish.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

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On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to regulate the Fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province, and also in the Mayor's Court of the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of Causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined or Interlocutory Judgment signed.

Mr. Woodward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, praying an Act may pass to amend the Charter of the said City, as regards the recovery of small Debts; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the more easy and speedy recovery of small Debts and demands in the City of Saint John.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, 2d February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from John Ward and Sons, Merchants, at Saint John, praying the Drawback on Rum exported to Quebec, in April last, may be granted them; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in General Sessions in this Province, to exempt the Acadian French from the Assessment of Poor Rates:

A Bill for the more easy and speedy recovery of small Debts and demands in the City of Saint John:

A Bill to authorize Assessments upon the City and County of Saint John, to pay a proportion of the Contingent Expences of the City and County, and the balance of the County Debt: and

A Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

Mr. Connell moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the establishing and maintaining of Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber in the several Rivers within this Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. Freeze, by leave, presented a Petition from Isaac Foshay, and 131 others, Inhabitants of King's County, praying no Act may pass authorizing an Assessment on the said County for the erection of a Gaol; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had passed the following Bills; to which they desire the concurrence of the House:— A

A Bill, intituled

An Act to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council: and

A Bill, intituled

An Act to declare all Acts of Assembly to be public Acts.

And that the Council had also agreed to the following Bill, sent up from the Assembly, without any amendment:—

A Bill to alter the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Gloucester.

And the Master in Chancery further informed the House, that he was directed to communicate a Resolution passed by the Council, as follows:—

"*Legislative Council Chamber, 30th January,* 1835.

"*Resolved,* That the House of Assembly be requested to communicate to this House the contents of any Address which that House may have presented, during the present Session, to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, on the subject of the Boundary Line between this Province and the United States of America, and of His Excellency's answer thereto, for the information of this House, before it takes into consideration the expediency of addressing His Majesty on this subject, in pursuance of the request contained in the Message of the House of Assembly, of the 29th instant.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

Read a first time the following Bills, sent down from the Council:—

A Bill, intituled

An Act to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council:" and

A Bill intituled

An Act to declare all Acts of Assembly to be public Acts.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the Custom House Establishment in New Brunswick.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted:

And on motion of Mr. Weldon,

Ordered, That the House do, on Thursday next, resolve itself into Committee in further consideration of the said Bill.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Address, praying His Excellency to inform the House, what portion of the proceeds of the Sale of the Town Lots in Fredericton has been applied in promoting the improvement of the Town, agreeably to Mr. Stanley's Instructions thereon, in August, 1833; and also praying a detailed Account of whatever Expenditure may have been made—reported, that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, in answer, that the said Address should be complied with immediately.

Mr. Freeze, by leave, presented a Petition from David B. Wetmore and others, Inhabitants of King's County, praying that no Grant of Public Money may pass towards building a Bridge over the Kennebeccasis River, until such time as the best site for such Bridge be ascertained, by Commissioners to be appointed for that purpose; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee on Roads.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Benjamin L. Peters, Nehemiah Merritt, Ralph M. Jarvis, David Hatfield, Robert Rankin, and 52 others, setting forth that they have it in contemplation to erect a Bridge over the Falls, near the City of Saint

Saint John, and praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company;* which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to incorporate sundry Persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company.*

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from J. C. Waterbury, and others, resident in the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, praying an Act may pass authorising the Parishioners of Grace Church to elect Church Wardens and Vestrymen; which he read,

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to prepare and bring in a Bill, to regulate the office of Sheriff in the several Counties in this Province.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. Chandler, and Mr. End, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, in addition to and in continuation of the Act relating to the Bass Fishery in the County of Northumberland.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from Henry Fairweather, and 137 others, Inhabitants of King's County, praying that no Act may pass at this present Session, authorising an Assessment on the said County for the erection of a Gaol; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY, 3d February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill in addition to and in continuation of the Act relating to the Bass Fishery in the County of Northumberland: and

A Bill to incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company:*

And also the following Bills, sent from the Council:—

A Bill, intituled

An Act to declare all Acts of Assembly to be public Acts: and

A Bill, intituled

An Act to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, delivered the following Message:—

"**New Brunswick.**

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 2d February,* 1835.

"ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

"THE Lieutenant Governor communicates to the House of Assembly, in answer to their Address of the 29th ultimo, a Copy of a Letter from the Deputy Post Master

General at Halifax, which contains all the information which the Lieutenant Governor possesses respecting the income of the Post Office.

"A. C."

[COPY.]

"*General Post Office, Halifax, 19th January, 1835.*

"SIR,

"WITH reference to your Letter of the 31st ult. I have to acquaint you for the information of His Excellency Sir Archibald Campbell, that upon an examination of the New Brunswick Accounts remaining in my possession, I think the following estimate may be safely taken as an average of the annual Receipts and Expenditures of the Post Office in New Brunswick.

Net Proceeds of the New Brunswick Post Offices,		£1,754 0 0
Expense of Couriers,	1,480 0 0	
Amount of English Mails,	600 0 0	
	£2,080 0 0	

"His Excellency will readily conceive, that as a consequence of the franking system proposed by the Bill to which you allude, there will be a considerable falling off of the Revenue.

"I have the honor to be,

"Sir,

"Your obedient Servant,

"J. HOWE, Junr.

"D. P. M. G."

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties, in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the Rates and Fares to be taken for the Cartage and Truckage of goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill in addition to an Act made and passed in the 28th year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, authorizing the Justices of the General Sessions, in the several Counties in this Province, to make rules and regulations respecting Markets and Ferries:

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for the appointment of Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Connell, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to provide for the establishing and maintaining of Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber in the several Rivers within this Province; which was read a first time.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from Henry Rigby, of the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, praying to be remunerated for keeping a School; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and lie on the Table, it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from the Chamber of Commerce of Saint John, praying An Act may pass repealing all the Acts now in force making certain Coins a legal tender in this Province, and affording a legal value to the several Coins now in circulation; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr.

Mr. Freeze moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Brown, by leave, presented a Petition from John Wilson, and others, Merchants, Mill Owners and Lumberers in the County of Charlotte, praying that an Act may pass to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic and its branches; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Brown moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic and its Branches.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Chandler, by leave, presented a Petition from James Brewster, and others, inhabitants of Hopewell, in the County of Westmorland, praying aid towards erecting a Breakwater at the entrance of the East Quaco Creek; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr. Morehouse, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill for altering the time of holding one of the Terms of the Court of the General Sessions of the Peace, and Inferior Court of Common Pleas in the County of Carleton; which was read a first time.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from the Rev. Michael Pickles, and others, of the County of Westmorland, praying some Legislative enactment to restrict the sale of ardent Spirits; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from Andrew Green, and others, inhabitants of the Parish of Ludlow, in the County of Northumberland, praying some Legislative enactment to restrict the sale of ardent Spirits; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from John Phelan, of Kingsclear, in the County of York, praying to be remunerated for instruction given to a number of free Scholars at that Parish, in the year 1833; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Stewart moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to alter and amend an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal an Act, intituled An Act for the better security of the Navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester," so far as the same relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the said County of Gloucester.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Wilford Fisher, and others, inhabitants of Grand Manan, in the County of Charlotte, praying an Act may pass authorizing an Assessment on the said County for the erection of a Lock-up-House on that Island, and aid towards the building the same; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to assess the said County for the erection of a Lock-up-House on the Island of Grand Manan in said County.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to amend the Law for the organization and regulation of the Militia.

Mr.

Mr. Hanington in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the Bill under consideration, it was moved as an amendment to the first Section, to "dele" all after that part thereof which went to the repeal of the sixth Section of the Act 6 Geo. IV. chap. 18, and insert

"That every Battalion (persons above 45 years of age excepted) shall be called out and rendezvous by Companies, one day in each year, interfering as little as possible with seed time and harvest, for the purpose of disciplining and improving in Martial exercises; the time and place of such rendezvous to be appointed by the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, in cases where Regiments are formed, and in other cases by the Commanding Officer of the Battalion, and arranged on different days or in such manner that the Field and Staff Officers may have an opportunity of attending the several Companies, in order to introduce uniformity in the Manœuvres of the Battalion; and the Commanding Officer of the Battalion may assemble any two or more of the Companies together as he may judge expedient: Provided that no Company shall be obliged to go more than Twelve Miles from the usual place of rendezvous of such Company."

That upon the question for adopting the amendment, the Committee divided, and it was decided in the negative.

The question was then taken on the first Section of the said Bill. and it passed in the affirmative.

The following was then moved as a Section to the Bill:—

"And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, for the time being, to appoint such and so many fit and proper persons as he, in his discretion, shall see fit, to act as Drill Sergeants to Drill Officers and Privates in the several Militia Corps of this Province, whose services as Drill Sergeants as aforesaid, with reasonable travelling charges, shall be paid for by Warrant of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, by and with the consent of His Majesty's Council: Provided always, nevertheless, that the sum of money to be drawn as aforesaid shall not exceed the sum of ——— Pounds in any one year."

Upon the question for adopting the same, it was decided in the negative;

Another Section was then moved to the Bill, as follows:—

"And be it enacted, That the Adjutants and Sergeant Majors of Battalions shall be allowed the sum of ——— yearly for their services, from the Funds of the Battalions to which they respectively belong."

And upon the question on this Section the Committee divided, and it was also decided in the negative,

Another Section was then moved to the Bill, as follows:—

"And be it enacted, That no Captain or other Officer of the Militia Forces shall in future either directly or indirectly treat their Companies upon days of muster or inspection with any Spirituous Liquor, Wine, Beer or other strong drink, under any pretence whatever."

The question being then taken on this Section, the Committee again divided,—and it was likewise decided in the negative.

The following amendment was then moved, "dele" the whole of second Section of the Bill and substitute the following—

"II. And be it enacted, That instead of the annual payment of thirty shillings, required from Aliens by the Sixteenth Section of the above recited Act, the annual sum of Ten Shillings only shall be hereafter required, any thing in the said Act to the contrary notwithstanding."

And upon the question, it passed in the affirmative,

That the following was then moved to stand as a third section to the Bill.

"III. And be it enacted, That so much of the twenty second Section of the above recited Act which requires payment from exempts, be and the same is hereby repealed," which also passed in the affirmative.

And the Chairman then further reported, that they had gone through the Bill and agreed to the same, *Ordered*,

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed, as amended.

A Message from His Majesty's Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the following Bills, without any amendment:—

A Bill further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the trespasses therein mentioned in the City of Saint John.

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act in addition to and in amendment of an Act, intituled 'An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act, authorizing the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City:'" and

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose."

And he further informed the House that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham, and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland;'" with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 4th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from William Foshay, Samuel Scovil, and Charles Harrison, Esquires, and others, inhabitants of Queen's County, praying a sum may be granted towards opening a Road recorded in that County, leading from the Ferry near the King's Head Tavern, so called, along the lower line of the Spry Grant, so as to communicate with the Gage Town Road; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Joel Ingersoll, and 79 others, inhabitants of the Parish of Grand Manan, praying no alteration be made in the Law for the protection of the Herring Fishery in the said Parish; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer also, by leave, presented a Petition from William Frankland, and 66 others, inhabitants of the Parish of Grand Manan, praying some Legislative enactment for the protection of the Herring Fishery; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from John Kenny, William Dunham, and others, of Saint John, praying that the Act 4 William IV. cap. 16, to continue and amend the Acts relating to the Herring Fisheries, in the County of Charlotte, be repealed; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

Resolved, That the Petitions of Joel Ingersoll, and others, and John Kenny, and William Dunham, and others, relative to the Act regulating the Herring Fishery at Grand Manan, be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward, Mr. J. M. Wilmot, Mr. Wyer, Mr. Brown, Mr. Allen, Mr. Miles, and Mr. Stewart, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Miles, by leave, presented a Petition from David Burpe, Esquire, and others, Magistrates and inhabitants of the County of Sunbury, praying a grant towards the

 payment

payment of a debt contracted in the erection of a new Court House in that County; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Morehouse, by leave, presented a Petition from John H. Ryan, a settler at the Grand Falls, on the River Saint John, praying to be remunerated for assistance rendered indigent Travellers; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from George Coats, a licenced Teacher, praying compensation for teaching a School at the Parish of Waterborough, in Queen's County, for one year, ending in August, 1832; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

A Message from His Majesty's Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the Bill for prohibiting and suppressing of Lotteries in this Province, without any amendment.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the said County, for the erection of a Lock-up-House, on the Island of Grand Manan, in said County:

A Bill to alter and amend an Act, intituled "An Act, to repeal an Act, intituled An Act for the better security of the navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester,'" so far as the same relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the County of Gloucester:

A Bill for altering the time of holding one of the Terms of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, and Inferior Court of Common Pleas, in the County of Carleton:

A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic, and its Branches:

A Bill to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish: and

A Bill to provide for the establishing and maintaining of Booms, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber, in the several Rivers within this Province.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendment made by the Council to

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland.'"

The amendment being read and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Street return the said Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Resolved, That a Bill for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning, in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish, be re-committed.

The House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Burns in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into re-consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made an amendment thereto, and agreed to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

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On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill sent from the Council, intituled "An Act to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council."

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill sent from the Council, intituled "An Act, to declare all Acts of Assembly to be Public Acts."

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. End,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the expences of the Legislature.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 5th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Johnston, from the Select Committee, to whom was referred the Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Documents accompanying it, upon the subject of the Post Office establishment, reported, that they had the same under consideration, and prepared a Bill under the title of *A Bill for the management and regulation of the Post Office in New-Brunswick;* which he was directed to submit to the House.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from Asa Coy, and others, Freeholders and Inhabitants of Fredericton, in the County of York, praying a further extension of of the Goal Limits; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the extension of the Gaol Limits in the County of York.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Hill, by leave, presented a Petition from Nehemiah Marks, and 60 others, inhabitants of the County of Charlotte, praying that an Act may pass to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint Stephen Rail Road Company*; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table. Mr.

Mr. Connell, by leave, presented a Petition from John Bedell, Richard Ketchum, James Upham, and others, Freeholders and Inhabitants of the Parish of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, praying a grant may pass towards the erection of a new Bridge over the Maduxnikik River; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from James Rait, and others, Merchants, Traders and Inhabitants of the Town of Saint Andrews, praying that measures be taken to procure a repeal of the Parliamentary Duty on Wheat Flour; and also that that part of the Revenue Law which imposes a Duty on dead Meats may not be re-enacted; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from John Robinson, Robert Power, Ross Currie, and others, Freeholders of the County of York, praying an Act may pass to alter the Division Line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the said County; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to alter the Division Line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Morehouse, by leave, presented a Petition from Joseph Hebert, of Madawaska, in the County of Carleton, praying the Bounty on Grain raised in 1832 may be granted him; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Morehouse, by leave, presented a Petition from John H. Ryan, a settler at the Grand Falls, praying to be remunerated expences incurred in repairs on the Portage at that place; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Connell, by leave, presented a Petition from Charles Perley, and others, Freeholders and Inhabitants of the County of Carleton, praying that an increase of Duty may be imposed on the importation of all Spirituous Liquors; and also that some measures may be adopted as will tend to the suppression of intemperance; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Connell,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed, to whom all Petitions presented to this House, relating to the suppression of intemperance in this Province, be referred, to report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Connell, Mr. Crane, Mr. End, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, and Mr. Slason, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Robinson, moved the following Resolution, viz:—

Resolved, That the Petition of James Rate, and others, presented to the House this day, praying measures for a repeal of so much of the Imperial Act, imposing a Duty on Wheat Flour; and also that the Duty imposed by the Provincial Act, on dead Meats may not be re-enacted; be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

Upon the question for adopting the same, the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Freeze,
Chandler,	Hill,
Weldon,	Wyer,
Palmer,	Woodward,
Hanington,	Taylor,
Street,	Morehouse,
Miles,	Partelow,
M'Leod,	Slason,
Gilbert,	Burns,
Robinson,	J. M. Wilmot,
L. A. Wilmot.	Johnston,
	Allen.

And it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Partelow then moved the following:—

Resolved, That the Petition of James Rait, and others, be referred to the Committee of Trade.

Upon the question, the House again divided, and it was carried in the affirmative.

Mr. Chandler then moved that the question last put be re-considered.

When upon the question the House again divided—

Yeas, 14. Nays, 13.

And it was also carried in the affirmative.

Mr. Chandler then moved,

Resolved, That the said Petition of James Rait, and others, be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

And upon the question, the House again divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Stewart,
Palmer,	Allen,
Hanington,	Johnston,
Chandler,	J. M. Wilmot,
End,	Burns,
Weldon,	Morehouse,
Street,	Slason,
Miles,	Woodward,
M'Leod,	Partelow,
Gilbert,	Taylor,
L. A. Wilmot,	Wyer,
Burns,	Clinch,
Freeze,	Hill.
Robinson.	

Which was likewise carried in the affirmitive.

Whereupon, *Ordered*, That Mr. Crane, Mr. Wyer, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Woodward, Mr. M'Leod, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Morehouse, Mr. Burns, Mr. Ford, Mr. Miles and Mr. L. A. Wilmot, be a Committee to take the said Petition into consideration, and report thereon.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from the Overseers of the Poor for Chatham in the County of Northumberland, praying remuneration for expences incurred in relief extended to Shipwrecked Emigrants; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. J. M. Wilmot,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to provide for the expences of the Legislature.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair. The

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the Bill under their further consideration, it was moved that the first Section thereof be struck out, viz :—

"I. Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the Province, to His Honor the President of His Majesty's Legislative Council, and to the Speaker of the House of Assembly the sum of ——— each, for each and every Session of the General Assembly."

And upon the question, the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Chandler,	Mr. Hanington,
Ford,	Palmer,
Crane,	Stewart,
J.M. Wilmot,	Burns,
Johnston,	Connell,
Slason,	Miles,
Allen.	Hayward,
	M'Leod,
	Gilbert,
	Wyer,
	Brown,
	Clinch,
	Hill,
	Freeze,
	Taylor,
	End,
	Woodward,
	Morehouse.

And it was decided in the negative.

It was then moved, "That that part of the said first Section, and also the several other Sections of the Bill, which relate to the provision for the President of the Legislative Council, be struck out;"

And upon the question, it was carried in the affirmative.

The question was then taken on the first Section of the Bill, as amended, when the Committee again divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Palmer,	Mr. Chandler,
Hanington,	J. M. Wilmot,
Crane,	Johnston,
Stewart,	Slason,
Burns,	End,
Morehouse,	Ford,
Connell,	Allen.
Miles,	
Hayward,	
Woodward,	
M'Leod,	
Gilbert,	
Wyer,	
Brown,	
Clinch,	
Hill,	
Freeze,	
Taylor.	

And it was also carried in the affirmative.

Upon filling up the blank in the said first Section, providing for the allowance of the Speaker, it was moved to fill up the same with the sum of *One Hundred Pounds.*

And upon the question, the Committee divided, and it was likewise carried in the affirmative.

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It was then moved to strike out the second Section of the Bill, and substitute the following:—

"II. And be it further enacted, That there be allowed and paid out of the said Treasury, to each and every Member of the House of Assembly, for defraying the expense of attendance in General Assembly, the sum of———Pounds, for his attendance each and every Session, to be certified by the Speaker: Provided always, that in case of the absence of any Member during the whole or part of any Session, a proportionate sum to be deducted from the pay of such Member."

Which was also carried in the affirmative.

Upon filling up the blank in the said second Section, it was moved, that the same be filled up with the sum of *Twenty-five Pounds.*

Whereupon the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Chandler,	Mr. Hanington,
Crane,	Allen,
Johnston,	Stewart,
J.M.Wilmot,	Slason,
Robinson,	Connell,
Ford.	Miles,
	Hayward,
	M'Leod
	End,
	Burns,
	Gilbert,
	Wyer,
	Brown,
	Clinch,
	Hill,
	Freeze,
	Palmer,
	Woodward,
	Morehouse.

And it was decided in the negative.

The question was then taken on the sum of *Thirty Pounds.*

When the Committee again divided—

Yeas, 12.	Nays, 13.

And it was also decided in the negative.

It was then moved to fill up the blank with the sum of *Forty Pounds.*

And upon the question, the Committee again divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Burns,	Mr. Hanington,
Morehouse,	Allen,
M'Leod,	Ford,
Gilbert,	Palmer,
Woodward,	Chandler,
Freeze,	Crane,
Brown.	J.M.Wilmot,
	Johnston,
	Robinson,
	Stewart,
	Slason,
	Connell,
	Miles,
	Hayward,
	Wyer,
	Clinch,
	Hill,
	End.

And it was likewise decided in the negative.

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The question was then moved, and taken, for re-considering the motion for filling up the blank with *Thirty Pounds*.

Whereupon the Committee again divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Ford,	Mr. End,
Chandler,	Freeze,
Crane,	Gilbert,
J.M.Wilmot,	Burns,
Johnston,	Allen,
Stewart,	Hanington,
Morehouse,	Palmer.
Slason,	
Connell,	
Miles,	
Hayward,	
M'Leod,	
Wyer,	
Brown,	
Clinch,	
Hill,	
Woodward.	

And it was caried in the affirmative.

Upon the question being then taken for the filling up the blank with the said sum of *Thirty Pounds* the Committee again divided—

Yeas, 19. Nays, 6.

Which was also carried in the affirmative.

The Chairman then further reported, that having made several amendments to the Bill—they had gone through the same and agreed thereto, under the title of "A Bill to provide for the Expences of the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly, while attending the General Assembly."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended title.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to the

Bill to alter the Boundary line between certain Parishes in the County of Westmorland—without any amendment.

And that they had also agreed to the

Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, and An Act, intituled 'An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericten, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in the said Parish'"—with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

On motion of Mr. Freeze,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to erect the North Eastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish.

Mr. End in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Read a third time, a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

"An Act to declare all Acts of Assembly to be public Acts."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered,

Ordered, That Mr. Street return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them that the House have agreed thereto.

Read a third time, a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

"An Act to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Palmer return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them that the House have agreed thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to regulate the Fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province, and also in the Mayor's Court of the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of Causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined or Interlocutory Judgment signed.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from Alexander Gillespie, praying remuneration for teaching a School in the Parish of Canning, in Queen's County, for one year, ending in June, 1833; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day for the further consideration of "A Bill to provide for the Custom House Establishment in New-Brunswick."

The Order of the Day being read, accordingly the House resolved itself into Committee on the said Bill.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone through the Bill referred to them, and made an amendment thereto, and then agreed to the Bill, under the Title of *A Bill to provide for the Custom House Establishment of the Province of New-Brunswick*, when it was moved that he leave the Chair of the Committee and report the Bill as agreed to, with the amendment, under the amended Title.

Upon which question the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. End,	Mr. Speaker,
Hanington,	Hill,
Miles,	L.A. Wilmot,
Ford,	Freeze,
Weldon,	Gilbert,
Street,	Connell,
Partelow,	Burns,
Chandler,	Palmer,
Crane,	Woodward.
J.M. Wilmot,	
Johnston,	
Slason,	
Hayward,	
Taylor,	
Wyer,	
Allen,	
Morehouse,	
Robinson.	

And it was passed in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Friday, 6th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, Chairman of the Committee to whom was referred the Treasurer's Accounts for the past year, with directions to examine and report thereon, reported, they had the same under consideration and made a report, which he read, and submitted the same to the House, when it was delivered in at the Clerk's Table and there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

See Report in Appendix, No. 2.

And on motion of Mr. Weldon,

Further *Ordered,* That *One Hundred Copies* thereof be printed for the use of the Members of this House.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill for the management and regulation of the Post Office in New-Brunswick.

A Bill to alter the Division line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York: and

A Bill to authorize the extension of the Gaol Limits in the County of York.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia:

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Gilbert take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning, in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish:

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Gilbert take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from F. A. Kinnear, Esquire, on behalf of the Managing Committee of the Female House of Industry in the City of Saint John, praying Legislative aid towards the support of that Institution; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from George E. Winniett, of Hampton, in King's County, praying remuneration for teaching a School at that Parish for one year; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from Jacob Carvel, Courier on the route between Fredericton and Miramichi, praying a Grant towards remunerating him for services as such, during the last year; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. End,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to take into consideration the propriety of procuring a Revised Edition of the Laws of this Province, and that they be directed to report to this House the probable expense of publishing the same.

Ordered, That Mr. End, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Weldon, and Mr. Taylor, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Hanington,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in General Sessions in this Province to exempt the Acadian French from the assessment of Poor Rates.

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Mr. J. M. Wilmot in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

The Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in the several Counties, in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the Rates and Fares to be taken for the Cartage and Truckage of goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt," without any amendment.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from William Leavitt, Thomas Leavitt, and James Kirk, Merchants at Saint John, and Owners of the Ship Peruvian, praying for a return of Duties on articles shipped in the said Vessel as stores, on a whaleing voyage to the Pacific Ocean; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Morehouse,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for altering the time of holding one of the Terms of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, and Inferior Court of Common Pleas in the County of Carleton.

Mr. Chandler in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into considerarion of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments, under the Title of "A Bill for altering the time of holding the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace, and Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Carleton."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company.*

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, laid before the House the following Documents, as prayed for by Addresses to His Excellency of the 28th and 31st January.

Account of Income and Expenditure of King's College, for the year 1834.

List containing the number and names of the Students now resident therein.

Account of Monies received by the late William Taylor, as Auctioneer at the Sale of Town Lots in Fredericton; and Account of Monies arising from the Sale directed by Mr. Stanley's Dispatch of August, 1833, to be applied in promoting the improvement of the Town—shewing how much thereof has been applied to that purpose.

See these Documents in Appendix, No. 3.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Council to

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town," and

and an Act, intituled 'An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in the said Parish.'"

The amendment being read, and the question put thereon

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

Mr. Crane, Chairman of the Committee appointed to consider the Petition of James Rait, and others, and report thereon, submitted a Report; which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee, to whom was referred the Petition of James Rait, and others, praying measures may be adopted to relieve the Province from the payment of the Duty on Wheat Flour and Dead Meats, beg leave to Report, that they have attended thereto, and are of opinion that they cannot recommend the prayer of the said Petition to the favorable consideration of the House.

WILLIAM CRANE, *Chairman*,
L. A. WILMOT,
THOMAS O. MILES,
GEORGE MOREHOUSE,
PETER STEWART,
JOHN P. FORD,
WILLIAM M'LEOD.

Committee Room, 6th February, 1835.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorise the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the said County for the erection of a Lock-up House on the Island of Grand Manan, in said County.

Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments, under the Title of "A Bill to authorise the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the Inhabitants of the Parish of Grand Manan, for the erection of a Lock-up House in the said Parish."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Saturday, 7th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the County of York, praying an amendment in the Laws regulating Tavernkeepers and Retailers, by restraining the latter from selling Spirits in less quantities than one Gallon; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Select Committee, to whom was referred the Petitions of a similar nature.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from Andrew Weldon, and others, Ship Owners and Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, praying aid towards the erection of a Breakwater at Quaco; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Trade.

On

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic and its Branches.

Mr. Chandler in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from William Wallace, and others, Ship Owners and Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, praying aid towards the erection of a Breakwater at Quaco ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr. Morehouse, by leave, presented a Petition from Francis Rice, and others, Inhabitants of Madawaska, praying a grant may pass towards opening a Road from the Grand Falls to the Madawaska River, along the Eastern Bank of the River Saint John ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Roads.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for altering the time of holding the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace, and Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Carleton.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Morehouse take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish :

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Freeze take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the Inhabitants of the Parish of Grand Manan, for the erection of a Lock-up-House, in the said Parish.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to provide for the expences of the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly, while attending the General Assembly.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. End take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Wyer, Chairman from the Committee on Light Houses, appointed on the 20th January last, submitted a Report, which he read and is as followeth :—

" That upon examining the correspondence with the Government of Quebec on the subject of Saint Paul's Island, they find that the efforts of His Excellency Lord Aylmer to induce the Parliament of Lower Canada to adopt some plan for the construction and maintenance of Light Houses on that Island, have hitherto proved unavailing ; yet as His Excellency has not had an opportunity of laying the Resolutions of this House, dated 21st March last, upon that subject, before the House of Assembly of Lower Canada, Your Committee still hope that they will, at their next meeting, accede to the proposals of this House therein contained ; but, even if they should not, Your Committee still think that a duty as contemplated in those Resolutions is necessary, as they find that the annual expense for the support of the Establishment on that

Island, has for some years past been about £300, which has been provided for out of the general Fund of the Province. They therefore recommend that a Bill be prepared in accordance with the said Resolutions, imposing a duty on all Vessels (coasters excepted) entering the Ports of this Province in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence.

Your Committee further report, that they find by reference to the Laws of Prince Edward Island, that an Act was passed the last Session of its Legislature levying a Duty of Two-pence per Ton on Vessels clearing out therefrom, to be applied in aid of and supporting Light Houses; They therefore recommend that an Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, requesting His Excellency will be pleased to correspond with the Administrator of the Government of that Island on the subject of Light Houses on Saint Paul's Island, in order to ascertain if the Legislature of that Colony will contribute towards so beneficial a purpose.

Your Committee on inspection of the Report of the Commissioners of Lights for the Bay of Fundy, find that they have not expended the grant made by this House at their last Session, of £400, for placing a Beacon or Buoy, on the Quaco Ledge, in consequence of the inutility of such expenditure. Your Committee, in accordance with the recommendation of the said Commissioners, recommend that the said sum of £400 be re-appropriated to the Commissioners, for the purpose of erecting a Light House on the Thrum Cap, off the west head of Quaco Harbour.

Your Committee also recommend, that in accordance with the communication of Harris & Allan, the contractors for erecting and completing the machinery for a Fog Bell on Partridge Island, to the Commissioners of the Harbour Lights, that the sum of £40, for the erection of a Building to support or contain the Bell, be appropriated for that purpose, as the Light House to which it was intended to be attached was found to be a situation very unfavorable for the conveyance of sound—as the Bell, on trial, could not be heard at a sufficient distance to be of the service intended.

Your Committee further recommend, that the Light House at the entrance of Saint Andrews' Harbour, be placed on the establishment of Lights under the direction of the Commissioners of Lights, for Machias Seal Islands and Head Harbour, and that suitable provision be made for the support of the same.

"All which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. WYER, *Chairman.*
GEORGE D. ROBINSON,
PHILIP PALMER,
WM. M'LEOD,
ISAAC WOODWARD.

"*Committee Room, 7th February,* 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Wyer then reported a Bill prepared by the Committee, under the Title of "A Bill to provide for the erection and maintaining of Light Houses within the Gulf of Saint Lawrence," which being handed in, was read a first time.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate ungranted Ferries in this Province.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the extension of the Goal Limits in the County of York.

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to alter the Division Line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented four several Petitions, from Merchants at Saint John, viz:—

From Crookshank & Walker, and Ratchford & Lugrin, praying the Drawback may be allowed them on 33 Hogsheads Sugar and one Puncheon of Rum, shipped by Brig Trafalgar, in April last, for Quebec, and lost on the voyage:

From Crookshank & Walker, praying Drawback on 73 Puncheons of Rum, exported by Brig William the Fourth, to Halifax, in June last:

From Crookshank & Walker, and Ezekiel Barlow & Sons, praying the Drawback on 2 Casks of Wine, shipped by Schooner Amenia, in July last, for New York, the Vessel being wrecked on the voyage: and

From John V. Thurgar, praying the Drawback on one Puncheon of Rum, exported to Nova Scotia in the Schooner Wasp, in September last.

The Petitions being severally read,

Ordered, That they be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill in addition to, and in continuation of the Act relating to the Bass Fishery, in the County of Northumberland.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

Monday, 9th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, praying to be reimbursed Monies paid and advanced for the support and relief of distressed Emigrants in the City of Saint John and Parish of Portland; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Read a second time,

A Bill to regulate the ungranted Ferries in this Province: and

A Bill to provide for the erection and maintaining of Light Houses within the Gulf of Saint Lawrence.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from The President, Directors and Company of the Fire Insurance Company, at Saint John, praying a grant to pass for the additional Interest due them on a loan made to the Province; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, praying a grant towards the payment of the expence incurred in the purchase of Buildings for a Cholera Hospital in the Parish of Portland; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from William Brenan, of Portland, in the County of Saint John, praying compensation for teaching a School at that place, during the past year ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, praying to be reimbursed amount expended for the support and relief of sick, aged and infirm Black Refugees, in the Parish of Portland, in 1834 ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Slason, by leave, presented a Petition from Amasa Coy, and others of Fredericton, in the County of York, praying an amendment to the Act for the establishing Boards of Health in the Province ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Weldon, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend Joseph M. Paquet, and 95 others, of the Acadian French, of the Parishes of Richibucto and Carleton, in the County of Kent, praying a division of certain Parishes in the said County may take place, for reasons therein set forth ; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the extension of the Gaol Limits in the County of York.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill in addition to and in continuation of the Act relating to the Bass Fishery in the County of Northumberland.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in General Sessions in this Province, to exempt the Acadian French from the Assessment of Poor Rates.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hanington take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to alter the division line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to provide for the Custom House Establishment in the Province of New-Brunswick.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Chandler take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic, and its branches.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Brown take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the several Rivers and their branches, in the County of Kent, and also to define the space to be left in each Mill dam to pass Timber and Logs through.

Mr. Palmer in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

Mr. Ford in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. End,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to alter and amend an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal an Act, intituled 'An Act for the better security of the navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester; so far as the same relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the said County of Gloucester.'"

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the driving of Logs and Timber in the several Rivers and Streams in the Counties of York and Carleton.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from William Curry, and Milatiah Calkin, Administrators to the Estate of Cadwallader Curry, deceased, praying an extension of time for the payment of a debt due to the Province, from the said late Cadwallader Curry; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from the President and Directors of the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John, praying an amendment of the Act 45 Geo. 3, c. 12. prescribing the days of holding the Public Examination of the said School; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed, to join such Committee as may be appointed by the Honorable the Legislative Council, for the purpose of collecting information preparatory to carrying into effect the measure referred to in His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor's Message of the 28th January, relative to affording additional accommodation for the Legislative Council.

Ordered, That Mr. Crane, Mr. Taylor, Mr. End, and Mr. Johnston be a Committee of this House: and

Further *Ordered*, That Mr. Crane communicate the said Resolution and appointment to the Council.

Mr. Chandler, by leave, presented a Petition from Edward N. Kendall, as Agent

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for the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Land Company, praying Legislative aid towards the completion of a new Road from Fredericton to the Miramichi River; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Roads.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Patrick Waters, a settler on the Great Road, between Saint John and Saint Aandrews, praying compensation for assistance afforded to indigent Travellers on that road; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Allen, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend Michael M'Sweeney, Roman Catholic Priest, stationed at Fredericton, praying the usual allowance may be granted him for superintending the Spiritual concerns of the Melicete Tribe of Indians; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Allen, from the Committee to whom was referred the Petitions of Joel Ingersoll and others, and John Kenny and William Dunham and others, presented to the House on the 4th instant, submitted a Report, which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee appointed to examine and report the Petition of John Kenny, William Dunham, and others, inhabitants of the City of Saint John, praying that several Acts for regulating the Herring Fisheries in the Parish of Grand Manan, may be altered and amended; also the Petition of Joel Ingersoll, and others, praying that no alteration might take place in the Acts for regulating the Herring Fisheries in the said Parish of Grand Manan, have attended to that duty, and have to Report, that in the opinion of your Committee an Act, 1st Will. 4th, cap. 8th, intituled "An Act to amend an Act to regulate the Herring Fisheries in the Parishes of Grand Manan, West Isles, Campobello, Pennfield, and Saint George, in the County of Charlotte, and to provide for the Inspection of Smoked Herrings in the said Parishes; also the Act 4th Will. 4th, cap. 16th, be repealed; and that the Act 8th Geo. 4th, cap. 11th be revived.

"All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN ALLEN,
JOHN M. WILMOT,
PETER STEWART,
THOMAS O. MILES,
I. WOODWARD."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Tuesday, 10th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill to regulate the driving of Logs and Timber in the several Rivers and Streams in the Counties of York and Carleton.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

Whereas, The necessity of erecting Light Houses at the Southern entrance of the Gulf of Saint Lawrence is daily becoming more urgent, from the great increase of the trade of the North American Colonies, and from the frequent and fatal shipwrecks which occur in this part of the said Gulf; and

Whereas, Saint Paul's Island has been considered the most proper site for two Light Houses

Houses for the protection of vessels entering the Gulf; and it is necessary that renewed exertions should be made, in conjunction with Lower Canada and Prince Edward Island, to carry into effect an object so desirable for the preservation of property, and to the cause of humanity; Therefore

"*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency would continue the correspondence with the Governments of Lower Canada and Prince Edward Island, with a view to induce those Governments, in conjunction with this Province, to set about the erection of Light Houses upon the Island of Saint Paul's, for the safety of Vessels navigating in and through that part of the Gulf of Saint Lawrence, and with a further view of removing the reproach which necessarily attaches to the North American Colonies, in neglecting so necessary and humane an object."

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer, Mr. M'Leod, and Mr. Gilbert, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Noah Disbrow, John Jordan, C. H. Hatheway, James Moran, George Brown, and 71 others, Freeholders of the County of Saint John, praying that such an alteration may be made in the Act for the Election of Members to serve in General Assembly, as may confine the voting for Members, in the said County, to the Freeholders thereof, and that the Freeholders of the City of Saint John may be precluded from voting for Members for the said County; and further, that the Representation of the said City and County be so altered by reducing that of the County to three Members, and adding one to the City Representation; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the third year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted; and

On motion of Mr. Street,

Ordered, That the House do go into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the said Bill on Thursday next.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from E. D. W. Ratchford, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce of the City of Saint John, on behalf of that Association, praying that no additional Duties may be imposed on Importations into the Province; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and lie on the Table, the House divided as follows—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Partelow,	Mr. Hanington,
Freeze,	Palmer,
Wyer,	Crane,
M'Leod,	Street,
Allen,	J. M. Wilmot,
Johnston,	Burns,
Morehouse,	Connell,
Slason,	Weldon,
Stewart,	L. A. Wilmot,
Robinson,	Brown,
Woodward.	Clinch,
	Hill.

And it was decided in the negative.

Mr.

Mr. Brown moved the following Resolution—

"Whereas the Petition of Joel Ingersoll and others, Inhabitants of the Island of Grand Manan, setting forth the necessity of continuing the Laws for the protection and preservation of the Herring Fisheries in the vicinity of that Island, and the Petition of John Kenny and others, Inhabitants of the City of Saint John, setting forth the necessity of repealing the said Laws, have both been presented to this House; And Whereas, the allegations set forth in the said Petitions are in direct opposition to one another, and the House have not the means of judging correctly with regard to the merits of either—Therefore

"*Resolved*, That this House, or a Committee thereof, will attend to the examination of such Witnesses as may appear in support of the allegations of the respective Petitions, at the next Session of the Legislature."

And upon the question for adopting the said Resolution, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill for facilitating the recovery of the Wages of Seamen in the Merchant Service and Coasting Trade of this Province.

Mr. Brown in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from Flora M'Rae, widow of the late Captain Alexander M'Rae, praying pecuniary aid; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the Inhabitants for erecting a new Court House in the said County.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot moved for leave to bring in a Bill, relating to the Herring Fisheries in the County of Charlotte.

Leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Ordered, That the House do, on Friday next, go into Committee of the whole, in consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, 11th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the Inhabitants for erecting a new Court House in the said County.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the several Rivers and their Branches, in the County of Kent, and to define the space to be left in each Mill dam to pass Timber and Logs through.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered,

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Ebenezer Packard, praying the Provincial allowance for teaching a School at the Parish of Northesk, in the County of Northumberland, for six months, in 1826, and the like period, in 1830; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Michael M'Nally, praying remuneration for past services as a Parish School Master in the County of York; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Hannah A. Packard, praying compensation for teaching a School at the Parishes of Northesk and Blissfield, in the County of Northumberland, for six months, in 1830, and the like period, in 1831; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend Frederick W. Miles, Jarvis Ring, W. B. Kinnear, John T. Smith, George Miles, and Aaron Hartt, the managing Committee of the Baptist Education Society, and 48 others, Inhabitants of the City and County of Saint John, praying pecuniary aid towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Allen, by leave, presented a Petition from the same Committee, and 282 others, Inhabitants of the County of York, praying pecuniary aid towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from the same Committee, and 74 others, Inhabitants of the County of Charlotte, praying pecuniary aid towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Gilbert, by leave, presented a Petition from the same Committee, and 58 others, Inhabitants of Queen's County, praying pecuniary aid towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Hayward, by leave, presented a Petition from the same Committee, and 82 others, Inhabitants of the County of Sunbury, praying pecuniary aid towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from George D. Robinson, Edward I. Budd, and N. Smith DeMill, of the City of Saint John, Merchants, praying return of Duty on Ten Hogsheads of Molasses, sent as stores on board the Thomas Millidge, on a Whaling voyage to the South Atlantic Ocean, in July last; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Morehouse moved for leave to bring in a Bill, in addition to an Act, intituled "An Act for the endowment of King's College at Fredericton, in the Province of New Brunswick, and also to make new provisions for the establishment and support of Grammar Schools throughout the Province,

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, delivered the following Message :—

"New Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 10th February,* 1835.

"Archibald Campbell.

"The Lieutenant Governor directs to be laid before the House of Assembly, and submits to their consideration, a Report of the Commissioners for the Government House, together with the Accounts therein referred to.

"A. C."

And he also, by command of His Excellency, laid before the House Returns from the Custom House at the Port of Saint John, for the year ending 5th January last.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from the Governor and Trustees of the Madras School in New Brunswick, praying an additional grant may be made in aid of the Funds of that Corporation; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Taylor,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the driving of Logs and Timber in the several Rivers and Streams in the Counties of York and Carleton.

Mr. Palmer in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and in the Committee it was

"*Resolved,* That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed for three months."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to prevent expence in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands.

Leave granted.

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to continue the Act to provide for the expenses of the Judges holding the Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province, and of the Clerk in those Courts.

Mr. Ford in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill under their further consideration it was

"*Resolved,* That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed for three months."

Whereupon the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Street,
Crane,	End,
Hanington,	Weldon,
Palmer,	Chandler,
Woodward,	Johnston,
Stewart,	J. M. Wilmot,
Partelow,	Slason,
Burns,	L. A. Wilmot,
Connell,	Robinson.
Miles,	
Hayward,	
Taylor,	
Morehouse,	
Brown,	
Clinch,	
Freeze,	
Hill.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the Services of the Clerk of the Circuits and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Street, Chairman from the Committee appointed to take under consideration the Statute Labour Laws, submitted a Report, which he read, and is as follows :—

" The Committee to whom was referred that part of His Excellency's Speech which relates to the Statute Labour on public Roads in this Province, report, that they have attended to that duty, and have prepared a Bill under the Title of ' A Bill to repeal all the Laws now in force for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same,' which they now respectfully submit to this House."

J. A. STREET, *Chairman*,
J. BROWN, Jr.
I. WOODWARD,
D. HANINGTON,
PETER STEWART.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The Bill reported by the Committee being then handed in, was read a first time.

Mr. Connell, by leave, presented a Petition from John Bedell, Junior, and others, Inhabitants of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, praying a grant may pass towards improving the navigation of the River Saint John, between Fredericton and that place; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the River Navigation Committee.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, praying an Act may pass towards the Establishment of a Public Penitentiary at that place, and aid towards the erection of the same; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the Establishment of a Public Penitentiary for the City and County of Saint John.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from James Rait, John M'Master, and others,

others, Merchants, in the County of Charlotte, praying that the collection of the Provincial Duties may devolve on the Custom House Department in this Province; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester."

Leave granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Thursday, 12th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from James and William Delap, Merchants of Saint John, praying that the excess of Duty paid at the Treasury, under the Emigrant Act, on Passengers which arrived at that place in January last, in the Brig Ambassador, be refunded; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Hill moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the Incorporation of *The Saint Stephen Rail Road Company.*

Leave granted.

Mr. Brown, by leave, presented a Petition from Samuel M'Farlan, of the Parish of Saint Patrick, in the County of Charlotte, praying that the Bounty on Grain raised in 1832 may be granted him; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill in addition to an Act, intituled "An Act for the endowment of King's College at Fredericton, in the Province of New-Brunswick, and also to make new provisions for the establishment and support of Grammar Schools throughout the Province:"

A Bill to repeal all the Laws in force, for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways, in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same:

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuits, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province: and

A Bill for the establishment of a Public Penitentiary for the City and County of Saint John.

Mr. Wyer, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Address of the House of the 10th instant, requesting that he would be pleased to continue the correspondence with the Governments of Lower Canada, and Prince Edward Island, relating to the erection of Light Houses on Saint Paul's Island, in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and His Excellency was pleased to say, that he should have great pleasure in doing every thing in his power in furthering the views of the House of Assembly, for the promotion of so laudable and humane an object.

Mr. Burns, by leave, presented a Petition from Thomas Marjoribanks, and 11 others, Bakers at Saint John, praying for Legislative protection, by imposing a small Duty on Foreign Bread, imported into the Province; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from Jeremiah Cristy, and 79 others, Inhabitants of the Parish of Douglas in the County of York, praying a grant may pass towards erecting a Bridge across the Madam Keswick River; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided—

Yeas, 4. Nays, 10.

And it was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the management and regulation of the Post Office in New-Brunswick.

Mr. Partelow in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Bill referred to them, under consideration, and the Committee had passed the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed until the next Session of the General Assembly.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee to whom was referred the subject of Great Roads and Bye Roads, submitted a report: which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee appointed to take into consideration the state of all the Roads of Communication in the Province, and to report the same to the House; and also to report what Sums it may be necessary to grant for repairing and improving, as well the Great Roads as Bye Roads, report, that they have taken into consideration the amount required for the improvement of the Roads, and are of opinion, that the sum of £17,560 should be applied towards the improvement of the Roads throughout the Province, and they recommend the same to be appropriated as follows:—

GREAT ROADS.

From	Saint John to the Nova Scotia Line, including for Saint John Great Marsh, 200*l.* and for Westmorland Marshes, 200*l.*,	£1400
"	Saint John to Saint Andrews,	1000
"	Fredericton to Saint John, via Nerepis,	450
"	Dorchester to Shediac,	150
"	Shediac to Bend of Peticodiac,	150
"	Ditto to Richibucto,	450
"	Richibucto to Chatham,	300
"	Newcastle to Restigouche,	1000
"	Fredericton to Canada Line,	1250
"	Ditto to Finger Board,	350
"	Bellisle to Saint John,	100
"	Fredericton to Newcastle,	1500
"	Ditto to Saint Andrews,	300
		£8,400

BYE ROADS.

York,	£750
Carleton,	750
Sunbury,	380
Queen's,	730
Gloucester,	750
King's,	950
Westmorland,	950
Charlotte,	950
Kent,	550
Carried forward,	£6,760

Brought forward,	£6,760
Northumberland, - - -	850
Saint John, - - - -	640
	£8,250

"Respectfully submitted.

"WILLIAM CRANE,
J. R. PARTELOW,
J. W. WELDON,
HUGH JOHNSTON,
THOMAS O. MILES,
SAMUEL FREEZE,
WILLIAM END,
JAMES TAYLOR,
J. M. CONNELL,
PATRICK CLINCH,
J. A. STREET.

"And the following are recommended as Special Grants :—

Saint John Mill Bridge, - - - - - -	£250
Saint John to Hopewell, - - - - -	150
Oromocto to Nerepis, via Gagetown, - - -	250
Richmond to Houlton, - - - - - -	200
Magaguadavic Second Falls to the new Settlement on the Fredericton Road,	60
	£910

ABSTRACT.

Great Roads,	£8,400
Bye Roads,	8,250
Special Grants,	910
	£17,560

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"*Committee Room, 12th February*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted;

And on motion of Mr. Weldon,

Further Ordered, That the said Report be referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the Inhabitants for erecting a new Court House in the said County.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, the Committee passed the following Resolution :—

"*Resolved*, That the further consideration of this Bill be postponed to the next Session of the General Assembly, and that a Copy of it be published in the Saint Andrew's Standard, for the information of the inhabitants of the County of Charlotte.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr.

Mr. Gilbert, by leave, presented a Petition from John M'Aleer, of the Parish of Gage Town, in Queen's County, praying aid to erect a Mill at the Nerepis Bridge; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Allen, by leave, presented a Petition from Lieutenant Colonel, the Honorable H. S. Fane, commanding His Majesty's 34th Regiment, on behalf of himself and the Officers of the said Regiment, praying Drawback on Wine imported for the use of the Mess; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Charles Drury, Nehemiah Merritt, Solomon Nichols, and others, Inhabitants of the City and County of Saint John, praying that the new line of Road recently explored from Saint John to Sussex Vale, by the way of Locklomond, may be established as a Great Road of Communication; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Robert W. Crookshank, Thomas Barlow, and Lauchlan Donaldson, Commissioners for Light Houses in the Bay of Fundy, praying that measures may be adopted to obtain a correct Survey of the said Bay; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to provide for the establishment and maintaining a public Boom, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber on the Nashwalk River, in the County of York, with amendments; to which they desire the concurrence of the House;

And that the Council had passed

A Bill, intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John;" to which they also desire the concurrence of the House:

And that he was further directed to communicate the following:—

"*Legislative Council Chamber*, 10*th February*, 1835.

"*Resolved*, That this House doth agree to the proposal of the House of Assembly to appoint a Joint Committee of the two Houses, for the purpose of collecting information preparatory to carrying into effect the measures recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, relative to affording additional accommodation for the Legislative Council.

"*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. Shore, the Honorable the Attorney General, and the Honorable Mr. Botsford be a Committee, on the part of this House, to join the Committee appointed by the Assembly for that purpose.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council*."

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from James Smith, Senior, and 68 others, Freeholders and Inhabitants of King's County, and the County of Saint John, praying an exploration of a new line of Post Road from the City of Saint John to Sussex Vale, as shewn by a Plan accompanying the said Petition; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. End, from the Committee appointed to take under consideration the several Petitions praying measures for restricting the Sale of ardent Spirits, made a report; which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee feel it their duty to bear witness to the great and lasting benefits which have already resulted, and may still, under Providence, be confidently expected to result, as well from the exertions of the Temperance Societies as from the co-operation of persons friendly to the cause of Temperance; and Your Committee are satisfied

tisfied that a Cause, whose single object it is to dissolve that chain by which so many have been bound to infamy, vice, and the neglect of every duty, civil and religious, must find a willing advocate in every reasonable member of the Human Family, without reference to Country or Creed, or any of those prejudices which have too often paralized the exertions of the benevolent and humane.

"Your Committee, however, cannot recommend the adoption of any Legislative measures of a nature prohibitory or coercive, which they think would tend rather to retard than advance the object of the Petitioners.

"Your Committee have taken into consideration the Laws of the Province enacted for the regulation of Inns and Taverns: They are of opinion that some amendments are necessary, and they have prepared a Bill for that purpose; but they respectfully submit, that all Legislative interference must be futile and insufficient without the co-operation of the Benches of Magistrates in the several Counties, who should perform the important duty devolving upon them in an independent and conscientious manner; and on this subject, Your Committee do not hesitate to say, that many of the evils, now so justly complained of, arise in a great measure from the practice of granting Tavern and Retail Licenses to persons by whom the Public is rather distressed than accommodated.

WILLIAM END,
L. A. WILMOT,
J. M. CONNELL,
W. CRANE,
JEDEDIAH SLASON.

"*Committee Room, 12th February,* 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day, to go in Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

The Order of the Day being read, accordingly the House resolved itself into said Committee

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Bill under consideration and made further progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and leave granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Friday, 13th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a first time, a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from Henry Lyons, and others, Inhabitants at the Nerepis and its Vicinity, in Queen's County, praying a grant may pass to aid in the erection of a Grist Mill for the accommodation of the Settlers; which he read.

And on the question, that the Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative. Read

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to alter and amend an Act, intituled "An Act, to repeal an Act, intituled 'An Act for the better security of the navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester,'" so far as the same relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the said County of Gloucester.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Stewart take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to repeal all the Laws now in force for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provisions for the same.

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to the

Bill to erect the South-Western part of the Parish of Richibucto, into a separate and distinct Parish, without any amendment;

And that they had also agreed to the

Bill to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a part of the Public Landing at Salt Water, in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to invest the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish—with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill relating to the Herring Fisheries in the County of Charlotte; which was read a first time.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from James T. Hanford of Saint John, Merchant, praying a grant for Drawback on Rum exported to Nova Scotia, in 1833; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from William Mullin, Joseph M'Pherson, and 195 others, Inhabitants of the City of Saint John, praying for a repeal of the Act to regulate Vessels arriving from the United Kingdom with Passengers and Emigrants; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Connell, by leave, presented a Petition from Charles Perley, and 65 others, Inhabitants of the County of Carleton, praying aid towards the building a Steam Boat to ply between Fredericton and Woodstock; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from William Cross, praying to be remunerated for extra work done on King's College, at the time of building the same; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Allen, by leave, presented a Petition from Charity Williams, Widow, praying compensation for teaching a School in Fredericton for the last three years; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

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On motion of Mr. Wyer,

Resolved, That the Petition of William Curry and Milatiah Calkin, Administrators of the Estate of Cadwallader Curry, deceased, praying time for the payment of a Debt due the Province by the late Cadwallader Curry, be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Clinch, and Mr. Weldon, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. End, from the Committee to whom was referred the subject of procuring a Revised Edition of the Laws, having attended thereto, submitted a report, which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee appointed to take into consideration the propriety of procuring a Revised Edition of the Laws of this Province, and to report upon the expense of publishing the same, reports, that in the opinion of the Committee, a Revised Edition of the Laws of the Province is indispensably necessary, and recommend that an Edition of not less than Three Hundred Copies should be procured for the use of the Province.

"Your Committee have not been able to ascertain with precision what the expense may be, but think themselves warranted in reporting that not more than Six hundred Pounds, at the most, would be required for the Revision, Printing and Binding of an Edition consisting of Three Hundred Copies, and your Committee recommend that measures be adopted for carrying this object into immediate effect.

W. END,
HUGH JOHNSTON,
JAMES TAYLOR,
J. W. WELDON.

"*Committee Room,* 13*th February,* 1835.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Allen, by leave, presented a Petition from John N. C. Nicholson, and 57 others, Freeholders and Inhabitants of the Parish of Brighton, in the County of Carleton, praying aid to assist in the building a Bridge over the Pekagomik River in the said County.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from John Baird, Teacher of the Madras Free School at Fredericton, praying additional compensation; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Ordered, That the Order of the Day for going into Committee of the whole House, in consideration of supplies to be granted for the Public Service be discharged, and stand as the Order of the Day for Monday next.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Saturday, 14th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Alexander Grant of the City of Saint John, praying to be reimbursed for losses sustained in consequence of having goods damaged by the application of Chloride of Lime, under the direction of the Health Officer at the Quarantine station, in the year 1832; which he read.

Upon the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, it was decided in the negative.

Mr.

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from Ebenezer Smith and William Simpson, Executors to the estate of the late Hugh M'Diarmid, deceased, a licensed Teacher, praying compensation for teaching School in the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, for Six months; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from George Bragg of the City of Saint John, praying a grant for Grain Bounty, due to one Robert Roy of Queen's County, which claim had been assigned to the Petitioner, and the necessary affidavit had been inadvertently mislaid; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from Catharine Dayton, praying compensation for teaching School in Fredericton, the past year; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Read a second time,

A Bill relating to the Herring Fisheries in the County of Charlotte: also

A Bill sent down from the Council, intituled

"An Act to amend the Law relating to the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John."

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a Public Boom for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber, on the Nashwalk River in the County of York.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a part of the Public Landing at Salt Water, in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to convert the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish.

The amendments being severally read and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Brown return the said Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuits and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to repeal all the Laws now in force for regulating, laying out, and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways, in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provisions for the same.

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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The Chairman reported, that they had made further progress in the Bill referred to them, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, from the Committee of Trade, submitted a Report, which he read, and is as followeth :—

"The Committee of Trade, to whom were referred certain Petitions, report, that they have had under consideration, Petitions of James Moran, Geo. Brown, E. Vaughan, and 71 others, Inhabitants of Saint Martin's ; of James Bunster, and others, Inhabitants of Hopewell ; of William Wallace, and other Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland ; also, of Andrew Weldon, and others, Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, praying a grant in aid of individual subscription towards the erection of a Breakwater in Quaco Creek, in that Parish;—and they recommend to the House, that aid should be granted the Petitioners, to assist them to build said Breakwater; as Your Committee are of opinion that it would much benefit the Trade and Navigation of the Bay of Fundy.

"The Committee have also had under consideration, the Petition of R. W. Crookshank, and others, Merchants of the City of Saint John, relative to the present rate of Duty on Wines, and they are of opinion, that the allegations in the said Petitions are entitled to much consideration. It evidently appears, that there being no difference in the Duties on high and low priced Wines, materially affects the consumption, and prevents the introduction of a sound cheap article, which, if imported, would soon have a tendency to supplant the too frequent use of ardent Spirits; and they therefore recommend that the Duties be Ad-valorem, and regulated according to the cost of the article, first, however, placing a small Duty per Gallon on Wines of all descriptions. The Committee are of opinion, that some steps should be taken to prevent other Duties on Wine by Act of Parliament, being collected by the Officers of His Majesty's Customs, than those under the late Act, being seven and a half per cent. Ad-valorem, as it is stated to be the practice to collect the Duty of £7 7s. sterling, per tun, on Wines—the cost of which would not give by the 7½ per cent. Ad-valorem Duties to the same amount.

"The Committee have also had the Petition of Thomas Marjoribanks and others, Bakers of the City of Saint John, praying a duty may be imposed on Biscuit imported into this Province, under consideration, and are of opinion, that it would be inexpedient at present to grant the prayer of said Petition.

"All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN M. WILMOT,
THOS. WYER,
GEO. D. ROBINSON,
P. STEWART,
J. R. PARTELOW,
I. WOODWARD.

"*Committee Room, 14th February*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from George Whitteker, John Hartt, James Adams, and 19 others, Manufacturers of Leather, in the City of Saint John, praying Legislative protection by having a Duty imposed upon Leather imported into the Province; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade.

Mr. Allen, by leave, presented a Petition from Donald M'Donald, and David Bruce, two very aged and infirm Soldiers, resident at the Nashwalk Settlement, praying pecuniary aid in their destitute circumstances; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from Samuel Scovil, David Nevers, and others, Inhabitants of Queen's County, praying Legislative aid towards making a Canal across Grimross Neck; which he read. *Ordered*,

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the River Navigation Committee.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from George Pitfield, Esquire, and 183 others, Magistrates and Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, praying no Act may pass authorizing a Division of the said County, as prayed for in a Petition presented to the House at this Session, and that they be not assessed therefor; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented three several Petitions from the Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, viz :—

From R. B. Chapman, President of the Dorchester Temperance Society, on behalf of the said Society, and 6 others

From James Ross, and 19 others : and

From the Reverend P. Townshend, the Reverend Robert Davis, and 44 others; praying measures be adopted for the suppression of Intemperance, and further restrictions in the Sale of ardent Spirits.

The Petitions being severally read,

Ordered, That they be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented, a Petition from the Reverend Benjamin G. Gray, and others, of the Clergy of the City and County of Saint John, William B. Kinnear, Esquire, Recorder of the said City, Thomas Millidge, Esquire, and others; some of the Magistrates, and upwards of 300 Inhabitants, praying Legislative interference in prohibiting the importation of ardent Spirits, or that such additional Duties should be imposed, as would effectually prevent its import and consumption in the Province; also that the Law regulating Taverns may be so amended as to bring the keepers thereof under more restraint; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from Patrick Henderson, of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, praying to be relieved from the payment of certain Extents in force against him, as Surety for one Charles Mills; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table: and

On motion of Mr. Street,

Further—*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee, appointed yesterday, to take under consideration the Petition from William Curry and Milatiah Calkin, Administrators of Cadwallader Curry, to report thereon.

Mr. Street, by leave, presented a Petition from Gilmour Rankin, & Co. of Newcastle, in Miramichi, Merchants, praying Drawback on Rum exported by them, in 1831 and 1833; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Street, also, by leave, presented a Petition from Joseph Samuel, of Chatham, in Miramichi, Merchant, praying Drawback on Quills and Pencils exported to Quebec, in July last; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from David Phillips, Asa Dow, and others, Freeholders of the County of York, praying aid towards the erection of a Bridge across Eel River, in the said County; which he read:

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from Benjamin L. Peters Esquire, Mayor, William B. Kinnear, Esquire, Recorder, Daniel Ansley, and William Olive, Esquires, Aldermen, John Hooper, William H. Craft, and Edward Toole, Assistant Aldermen of the City of Saint John, and James White, Esquire, High Sheriff, John

Ward, William Scovil, Thomas Millidge, Henry Gilbert, Robert W. Crookshank, Noah Disbrow, James Hendricks, Charles Ward, William H. Street, Ezekiel Barlow, and Robert Rankin, Esquires, Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, and 342 others, Freemen and Freeholders of the said City, praying that an Act may pass to amend the Charter as regards the Election of Charter Officers; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from Joseph M'Pherson, and 196 others, Freemen and Freeholders of the City of Saint John, praying that no Act may pass to alter the Charter of the said City, as regards the Election of Charter Officers, and other matters as are therein set forth; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the Election of Charter Officers for the City of Saint John.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Connell, by leave, presented a Petition from Richard Ketchum, Josiah Brown, John Bedell, James Upham, Charles Perley, and 162 others, praying an Act may pass establishing the Road leading from Woodstock to Houlton, as one of the Great Roads in the Province; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

Monday, 16th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill to regulate the election of Charter Officers for the City of Saint John.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuits, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from John Ward & Sons, Stephen Wiggins & Son, David & Peter Hatfield, Ezekiel Barlow and Sons, and others, Ship Owners and Merchants of the City of Saint John, praying an Act may pass giving power to the Common Council to require all Seamen who shall be discharged, or shipped at that Port, to be described and entered by the Owners or Masters of Vessels, upon certain Books for the Registration of Seamen, in an Office to be kept for that purpose; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Slason, by leave, presented a Petition from James Buist, George Anderson, and James M'Rea, licensed Tavern-keepers in Fredericton, praying an amendment of the Act 3 Will. IV. for the Establishment of Boards of Health throughout the Province; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to amend an Act, intituled "An Act to provide for sick and disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province."

Leave granted.

Mr.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, praying a Grant may pass to reimburse them for advances made in erecting a Building on Partridge Island, for the accommodation and comfort of Emigrants; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Deputy Treasurer, in the County of Gloucester, to pay over to the Commissioners of sick and disabled Seamen, the Duties collected for the support of sick and disabled Seamen, ~~in the several~~ Ports in that County.

Leave granted.

Mr. End, by leave, presented a Petition from John Young of Pokeshaw, in the County of Gloucester, (one of the Commissioners for expending the grants made in the years 1824 and 1825, for building a Bridge over the Northwest Branch of Carraquet River, praying to be relieved from the payment of an Extent now in force against him, for the recovery of those grants, for reasons set forth in the said Petition; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. End,	Mr. Freeze,
Taylor,	Hill,
Clinch,	Brown,
Gilbert,	Johnston,
Slason,	M'Leod,
Woodward,	Hayward,
J. M. Wilmot,	Miles,
Street,	Connell,
Allen.	Partelow,
	Weldon,
	Crane,
	Ford,
	Palmer,
	Chandler,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	Hanington.

And it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties in this Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. Crane moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the division of the County of Westmorland into two Counties, and to provide for the Government and Representation of the new County.

And on the question for granting leave, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Crane, by leave, presented a Petition from John Smith and others, Inhabitants of the County of Westmorland, praying an Act may pass to provide for the opening of temporary Roads, in the Winter season, over private property; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Thomas Hutchings, teacher of a School at Saint John, upon the principles of the British and Foreign School Society in London, praying pecuniary aid towards the support thereof; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the Bill, intituled

"A Bill to provide for the Custom House Establishment in the Province of New-Brunswick"—without any amendment.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Samuel Bustin, and 13 others, licensed Butchers of Saint John, praying Legislative protection for the reasons set forth in the said Petition; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Hill moved for leave to bring in a Bill, relating to Corporations.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from E. D. W. Ratchford, and S. L. Lugrin, Merchants of Saint John, praying the Drawback on goods exported to Nova Scotia, in the years 1832, 1833 and 1834; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from James Parkinson and Thomas Sime, Bakers in the Town of Saint Andrews, praying measures be taken for the repeal of the Parliamentary duty on Foreign Flour; which he read.

And upon the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Trade, the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from John Ward, Thomas Millidge, Ralph M. Jarvis, David Hatfield, George Harding, W. B. Kinnear, Robert Rankin, John Ward, Junior, Lauchlan Donaldson, Isaac L. Bedell and 177 others, Merchants, Citizens and Inhabitants of Saint John, praying that no Act may be passed during the present Session of the Legislature, for increasing the Capital Stock of the Bank of New Brunswick; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, praying pecuniary aid towards the debt contracted in building the County Gaol; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from Benjamin Stanton, Gregory Van Horne, and Thomas Harding, Esquires, Aldermen of the City of Saint John, and 124 others, Inhabitants of the said City, praying that no alteration be made in the Elective Franchise thereof; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from James Cody, one of the persons appointed to take an account of the Population of the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, praying a grant may pass to him for services as such, for reasons therein set forth; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from Henry E. Dibblee, praying remuneration for services as Sub-Collector of Customs at Woodstock; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from the Rector, Church Wardens, and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Sale of certain Lands as therein stated; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from Henry Chubb, Donald A. Cameron, Lewis W. Durant, and others, praying that an Act may pass to Incorporate a Company for manufacturing purposes; which he read. *Ordered,*

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the Incorporation of *The Loch Lomond Paper Company.*

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee to whom was referred the several Petitions relative to the suppression of Intemperance, reported, that having the same under their further consideration, and the Laws regulating Inns and Taverns, as recommended by their Report of the 12th instant, had prepared a Bill under the Title of "A Bill to regulate Tavern-keepers and Retailers, and the granting of Licenses for the Sale of strong and spirituous Liquors;" which he was directed to submit to the House.

The Bill being then handed in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Ordered, That the House do, to-morrow, go into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of "A Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled 'An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of Communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same.'"

Mr. Crane moved the following:—

Whereas in consequence of large appropriations of monies which have heretofore been made by the Legislature of this Province, great delay has taken place in the payment of Warrants at the Treasury, thereby causing loss and inconvenience to persons entitled to receive Provincial grants: And Whereas witholding the Bye Road appropriations, by depriving the labouring classes and new settlers of that proportion of the public expenditure, which has hitherto been most accessible to them, has caused much suffering and privation in many parts of the Province; Therefore

Resolved, That the appropriations of this Session be made on such a scale as to prevent difficulties of a similar nature accruing in future.

To which Mr. Partelow moved the previous question—"That the question be now put."

Whereupon the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

Mr. End, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester;" which was read a first time.

Mr. Clinch, by leave, presented a Petition from Thomas M'Donald Beverley, of Saint George, in the County of Charlotte, praying compensation for teaching a School at Magaguadavic, ending in November, 1833; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day.

The Order of the Day being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of the whole, in consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into consideration of the business referred to them, the Committee had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being delivered in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follows:

Resolved, That there be granted to the Chaplain of the Legislative Council in General Assembly, the sum of twenty pounds.

To the Chaplain of the House of Assembly, the sum of twenty pounds.

To the Clerk of the Legislative Council in General Assembly, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds for the present Session.

To the Clerk Assistant of the Legislative Council, the sum of twenty shillings per diem, during the present Session.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, the sum of two hundred pounds for the present Session.

To the Clerk Assistant of the House of Assembly, the sum of one hundred pounds for the present Session.

To the Sergeant at Arms attending the Legislative Council in General Assembly, the sum of twenty shillings per diem, during the present Session.

To the Sergeant at Arms attending the House of Assembly, the sum of twenty shillings per diem, during the present Session.

To the Doorkeepers attending the Legislative Council and Assembly, the sum of twelve shillings and six pence per diem each, during the present Session.

To the Messengers attending the Legislative Council and Assembly, the sum of ten shillings per diem each, during the present Session.

And the Chairman further reported, that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave granted to sit again.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend Joseph Crandal, and Frederick Miles, in the name and on behalf of the New-Brunswick Baptist Association, praying such measures to be adopted by the Legislature as will relieve them from the restrictions contained in the Marriage Licenses issued by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the Act 4 Will. 4, cap. 48; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Woodward, by leave, presented a Petition from George G. Gilbert, of the City of Saint John, praying a grant may pass to him, to compensate for Land required for the Marsh Road leading from that place; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

And on motion of Mr. Woodward,

Resolved, That the said Petition be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward, Mr. Brown, and Mr. Crane, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Wilmot moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to explain and amend the Act, intituled "An Act to extend the privilege of solemnizing Marriage to all Ministers or Teachers of the several Religious Congregations in this Province."

Leave granted.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to levy an assessment towards paying off the Debt due by the said County.

Leave granted.

Mr. Partelow moved for leave to bring in a Bill, relative to the Free Church in the Parish of Portland.

Leave granted.

Mr. Connell moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to establish the Road leading from Woodstock corner to Houlton, one of the Great Roads in the Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. Hill, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill for the Incorporation of the Saint Stephen Rail Road Company; which was read a first time.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the Office of Deputy Surveyors in this Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from John Leslie, Francis Wright, and 68 others, Bakers and Inhabitants of Fredericton, praying a protecting duty on Bread stuffs imported from the United States; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table. Mr.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from John B. Payne and 52 others, Mechanics of the Town of Fredericton, praying some Legislative enactment to restrict the Soldiers of the Garrison from exercising Trades in the said Town; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and lie on the Table—the House divided—

Yeas 14. Nays 10.

And it was carried in the affirmative.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Joshua Stone, an old Soldier, praying aid in consideration of his services, on behalf of his country; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Woodward moved for leave to bring in a Bill, further to regulate Inns, Taverns, and Houses for selling strong or spirituous Liquors.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from Alexander Brown, praying compensation for work performed by him on the Great Road between Fredericton and Newcastle; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from Samuel White and others, Inhabitants of Queen's County, praying an alteration in the Post Road between the River Saint John and the head of Bellisle; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Wyer, by leave, again presented a Petition from James Parkinson and Thomas Sime, Bakers in the Town of Saint Andrews, praying measures be taken for the repeal of the Parliamentary Duty on Foreign Flour; which he read.

And on the question that the said Petition be received and lie on the Table, it was decided in the negative.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, by leave, presented a Petition from Ebenezer Packard, praying compensation for teaching a School at Blissfield in the County of Northumberland, for one year, ending in October 1832; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

TUESDAY, 17th February, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill sent from the Council, intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John."

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Read a second time the following Bills:— A

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester:

A Bill further to regulate Inns, Taverns and Houses for selling strong or spirituous Liquors:

A Bill for the Incorporation of the Saint Stephen Rail Road Company:

A Bill to regulate Tavern Keepers and Retailers, and the granting of Licenses for the sale of strong and spirituous Liquors:

A Bill for the Incorporation of the Loch Lomond Paper Company: and

A Bill relating to Corporations.

On motion of Mr. M'Leod,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in King's County, to assess the Inhabitants of the said County for erecting and building a Gaol in the said County.

Mr. Palmer in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them, under consideration, the Committee passed the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed until next Session of the General Assembly.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Connell,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the establishing and maintaining of Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber in the several Rivers within this Province.

Mr. Hanington in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the ungranted Ferries in this Province.

Mr. Clinch in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to repeal all the Laws in force for regulating, laying out, and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same.

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Bill referred to them under further consideration, and in the Committee an amendment was moved thereto, upon the reconsideration of that part of the XX Section which relates to the rate per day that Individuals would be required to pay, by erasing the words *Three Shillings,* and inserting those of *Two Shillings and Six Pence.*

That upon the question the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Stewart,	Mr. Speaker,
Crane,	Palmer,
Weldon,	Morehouse,
Partelow,	Hanington,
Allen,	Ford,
Robinson,	Connell,
J. M. Wilmot,	Wyer,
Chandler,	Brown,
Burns,	Clinch,
Slason,	Freeze,
Miles,	Taylor.
Street,	
Hayward,	
M'Leod,	
Gilbert.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

That the Committee then went through the Bill and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

Mr. Brown, from the Finance Committee, made a report, which he read, and is as follows :—

"That they find upon investigating the Accounts and Papers which have come under their consideration, the state of the Province, with regard to its financial concerns, to stand thus, on the 31st of December last :—

Warrants issued and unpaid, and those in the Treasurer's hands,		£12,700	0	0
Appropriations for which Warrants have not yet issued, about		6,000	0	0
Drawbacks for which the requisite Certificates have not yet been lodged,		1,781	3	6
Due the Saving's Bank at Saint John,		2,367	4	1
Do. Do. Saint Andrews,		1,060	0	0
Due the Fire Insurance Company,		10,000	0	0
		£33,908	7	7
Amount of Bonds and Cash in hands of the Treasurer and Deputy Treasurers,	£29,400 0 0			
Less due to Light House, Seamen's and Emigrant Funds, about,	4,000 0 0			
		£25,400	0	0
Balance against the Province,		£8,508	7	7

No part of the amount due the Fire Insurance Company and Savings' Banks (say £13,472,) is contemplated to be paid this year, which will leave of the Revenue of 1834, available for the appropriations of the present year, £4,921 0 0

Probable Revenue of the current year, about half of which will be in Bonds at the year's end,	45,000	0	0
	£49,921	0	0
Expenses incurred by Boards of Health, about	2,000	0	0
	£47,921	0	0

"The annual charges against the Province amount to nearly £20,000, independent of the appropriations for Roads and Bridges.

"The Committee would respectfully recommend, that the annual allowances usually granted out of the Ordinary Revenues of the Province to the Law Officers of the Crown should, after the present year, be discontinued; that in providing for the Ordinary Services, and in making all the other necessary appropriations, the nature and extent of the several services should be fully considered, and that in no case should more than a fair compensation be allowed.

"The inconveniences and losses arising from the want of the means to enable the Treasurer to make ready payments, have long been severely felt throughout the Province: The Committee therefore respectfully recommend, that the Revenue may be so increased, or the expenditure so reduced, as to insure prompt payments at the Treasury.

"The Committee consider the internal improvement of the Country as an object of the highest importance, and they are convinced that a strict and rigid economy in all the appropriations is absolutely necessary, in order to secure a proper share of the Revenue for opening and improving the Roads.

"Respectfully submitted.

JAMES BROWN, Jun.
WILLIAM CRANE,
HUGH JOHNSTON,
J. W. WELDON.
J. R. PARTELOW,
WM. M'LEOD.

"*Committee Room, 17th February,* 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Wyer, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to levy an assessment towards paying off the Debt due by the said County; which was read a first time.

Mr. Partelow, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties in this Province; which was read a first time.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, laid before the House the following Documents, as prayed for by Addresses to His Excellency of the 28th January:—

Returns from the Custom House at the Port of Saint Andrews, for the year ending 5th January last:

Accounts of the Receipts and Expenditure of the King's Casual Revenue, for the year 1834:

Detailed Account of the quantity of Land Sold: and

Abstract of the quantity of Timber and Saw Logs licensed on Crown Lands, during the same period.

Mr. Taylor, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to regulate the Office of Deputy Surveyors in this Province; which was read a first time.

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day to go in Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

The Order of the Day being read accordingly, the House resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill under further consideration, the following was moved as an amendment to be added as a second Section thereto, viz:

"II. And Whereas it is considered expedient to include the line of Road, herein after

after described, among the Great Roads of communication throughout the Province' Be it therefore enacted, That the Road commencing at that part of the present Highway leading from Gage Town towards Dingee's mill, where it intersects the Road leading from Nerepis to Gage Town, thence along the said Road through the Summer Hill and Coot Hill Settlements, until it strikes the Nerepis Great Road, be and the same is hereby appointed and established to be one of the Great Roads of communication through the Province."

That upon the question for adopting the same the Committee divided—

Yeas 12. Nays 13.

And it was decided in the negative.

That the Committee then made further progress in the Bill, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. End, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to prevent expence in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands; which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Ordered, That the House do go into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same," on Friday next.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

Ordered, That the House do, on Thursday next, go into Committee of the whole, in consideration of a Petition from the Inhabitants of Grand Manan, praying for protection against the innovations of the Americans upon their fishing grounds.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Whereas it appears to this House by the representations of the Commissioners of Lights for the Bay of Fundy, that no Charts are in existence, giving an accurate description of the Rocks, Shoals and other dangerous obstructions in the Bay of Fundy, and of the Shores and Islands contiguous thereto: And Whereas, from the increasing Trade to the Ports connected with the said Bay, it is highly desirable that such a comprehensive survey should be made, and Charts taken therefrom, as would particularly designate such Rocks and Shoals, as well as the recently erected Light House establishments on our Coasts:

Therefore—*Resolved,* That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to bring this subject, so deeply important to the Shipping and Commercial interests of the United Kingdom and this Province, under the consideration of His Majesty's Government.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Crane, and Mr. J. M. Wilmot, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 18th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill to prevent expence in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands:

A Bill to regulate the Office of Deputy Surveyors in this Province:

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to levy an Assessment, towards paying off the Debt due by the said County: and

A Bill for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties in this Province.

Read

Read a third time, a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them that the House have agreed thereto.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the Incorporation of *The Saint Stephen Rail Road Company*.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee appointed under a Resolution of this House, at the last Session of the General Assembly, to join a Committee of the Legislative Council in pursuance of the provisions of an Act, intituled "An Act to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The President, Directors and Company of the Bank of New-Brunswick*, to examine into the proceedings of the said Corporation, made a report, which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee appointed at the last Session of the Legislature, for the purpose of examining into, during the recess, the Books, Vaults and proceedings of the Bank of New Brunswick, having attended thereto, beg leave to report, that on the 21st July last, the affairs of the Bank stood as follow:—

Amount of Capital Stock paid in,					£50,000	0	0
Bank Notes in Circulation,					53,597	15	0
Discounts due Stockholders, which accrued since the declaration of the last dividend 1st April,					1,634	2	9
Surplus, after paying dividends to 1st April last,					430	3	1
Amount of individual deposits bearing no Interest,					11,004	7	10
Total,					£116,666	8	8

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By the following assets, viz:—										
Real Estate, Bank and Furniture,					£3,242	16	1			
Amount due the Bank for Notes discounted on personal security,					87,685	3	8			
Gold and Silver Coin in Vault,	15,896	9	5							
Specie deposited in United States Bank, New York,	5,604	11	3							
Amount in Agent's hands in New York,	1,706	3	2							
Do. do. in Boston,	934	11	6							
Do. do. in London,	1,596	13	7							
					25,738	8	11			
								£116,666	8	8

"Of the above amount of £87,685 3 8 due the Bank for Notes discounted, the thirteen Directors and the Mercantile establishments with which they were connected in business, were collectively

Promissors to the amount of	£11,464	14	10
Endorsers, do. do.	15,166	16	4
Total,	£26,631	11	2

"They were at the same time owners of 331 Shares of the Capital Stock.

"Since

"Since the Bank went into operation, a period of upwards of fourteen years, only about forty pounds have been lost by bad debts. The amount now outstanding is *all* considered good, and no real estate is held as collateral security for any part of it; a circumstance alike creditable to the Bank and the Community.

"Your Committee having had free and full access to all the Books and discount Sheets, investigated particularly the proceedings of the Bank for the last two years, as regarded its transactions with the Public in loaning money, and they deem it their duty to state, that so far as they could discover, no undue preference has been given, but on the contrary, many instances appeared where accommodation had been refused to the Directors, and afforded to others.

"With a view to shew the Public the causes which led the Bank to press upon the Commercial Community during the last Winter, to such an extent, for a proportion of the amount then due, your Committee examined the Books to ascertain how the Bank stood on the 1st November, 1833, and they found, that at that period

"There was due the Bank for Notes discounted on personal security, the sum of	£123,923 15 6
It had paper afloat to the amount of	71,749 10 0
The deposits amounted to about	12,000 0 0
While the whole amount of Cash in the Vaults was only	5,752 14 7
And in London and New York,	3,541 0 0

"Without giving an opinion on the conduct of the Directors in loaning to such an extent, and allowing themselves to be so inconveniently situated, it cannot but be admitted, that it was at least a prudential measure to curtail the discounts below the weekly dues, until matters assumed a more healthy appearance.

"The last of their Semi-annual dividends have been 5, 6, and 4½ per cent. The weekly discounts average from £7,000 to £10,000

"Respectfully submitted.

F. P. ROBINSON,
Committee of Council.
J. R. PARTELOW,
Chairman Committee H. Assembly."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Morehouse,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill in addition to an Act, intituled "An Act for the endowment of King's College at Fredericton, in the Province of New-Brunswick, and also to make new provisions for the establishment and support of Grammar Schools throughout the Province:"

Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Bill referred to them, under consideration, and the Committee had passed the following Resolution:—

"*Resolved,* That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed for three months."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having gone into further consideration of the business referred to them, had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow:—

Resolved, That there be granted to the Chaplain of the Legislative Council, the sum of five pounds in addition to the grant of twenty pounds previously made.

To the Chaplain of the House of Assembly, the sum of five pounds in addition to the grant previously made.

To His Majesty's Attorney General, for his services for the year 1834, the sum of ——— pounds

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, the Committee divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. Stewart,
Ford,	Burns,
End,	Connell,
Crane,	Miles,
Chandler,	Gilbert,
Weldon,	Hanington,
Johnston,	Woodward,
Robinson,	Brown,
J. M. Wilmot,	Palmer,
Partelow,	L. A. Wilmot,
Slason,	Clinch,
M'Leod,	Hill,
Wyer.	Freeze,
	Morehouse.

And it was decided in the negative.

To His Majesty's late Solicitor General the sum of ——— pounds, for his services in the year 1834.

Upon the question for sustaining this Resolution, the Committee divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Connell,
Woodward,	Gilbert,
Ford,	Morehouse,
Stewart,	Taylor,
Johnston,	Miles,
Street,	Burns,
J. M. Wilmot,	Partelow,
Slason,	Weldon,
M'Leod,	Chandler,
Wyer,	End,
Brown,	Hanington,
L. A. Wilmot,	Crane,
Hill,	Allen,
Freeze,	Palmer.
Clinch.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

And on motion that the blank be filled up with the sum of fifty pounds, it also passed in the affirmative.

To the Clerk of the Crown in the Supreme Court, for his services for the year 1834, the sum of ——— pounds.

Upon the question for sustaining this Resolution, the Committee divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. Woodward,
Johnston,	Hanington,
Street,	Palmer,
J. M. Wilmot,	Crane,
Taylor,	Ford,
M'Leod,	Stewart,
Slason,	Chandler,
Wyer,	Weldon,
Brown,	End,
Robinson,	Burns,
L. A. Wilmot,	Miles,
Clinch,	Connell,
Hill.	Gilbert,
	Morehouse,
	Freeze,
	Partelow.

And it was decided in the negative.

To

To the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, the sum of six hundred pounds, for his services from the 31st December, 1833, to the 31st December, 1834: Also, the further sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to enable him to pay a Clerk in the Treasury for the same period.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, a sum not exceeding six thousand pounds, for the encouragement of Parish Schools, agreeably to a Law of the Province.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the following sums for Grammar Schools in this Province, for the year 1835:—

For the Grammar School in Westmorland, one hundred pounds.

For the City of Saint John, one hundred and fifty pounds.

For King's County, one hundred pounds.

For the County of Kent, one hundred pounds.

For Queen's County, one hundred pounds.

For the County of Charlotte, one hundred pounds.

For the County of Northumberland, one hundred pounds.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, a sum not exceeding three hundred pounds, for the encouragement of the destruction of Bears, agreeably to a Law of this Province.

To the Commissioners of Light Houses in the Bay of Fundy, the following sums to pay for services in 1835:—

To the Keeper of the Light House on Campobello, the sum of one hundred and twenty pounds, for the year 1835.

To the Keeper of the Light House on the Gannet Rock and his Assistant, the sum of one hundred and sixty-five pounds, for the year 1835.

To the Keeper of the Light House on Point Le Proe the sum of one hundred pounds, for the year 1835.

To the Keeper of the Light House on Machias Seal Island, the sum of one hundred and thirty pounds, for the year 1835.

The sum of four hundred pounds to defray the contingent expenses of the Gannet Rock and Point Le Proe Light Houses, for the year 1835.

The sum of five hundred and fifty pounds to defray the contingent expenses of the Light Houses at Campobello, Machias Seal Island, and the Harbour at Saint Andrews, for the year 1835.

To the Commissioners of Light Houses at the entrance of the harbour of Saint John, the sum of two hundred pounds for contingent expenses for the year 1835.

To the Commissioners of Light Houses in the Bay of Fundy, the sum of two hundred pounds, to be applied by them towards the support of Cape Sable Seal Island Light House; and also the sum of one hundred pounds towards the support of the Light House on Brier Island in the Province of Nova Scotia, for the year 1835.

To the Keeper of the Light House on Partridge Island, the sum of one hundred pounds, for the year 1835.

To the Keeper of the Beacon Light in the Harbour of Saint John, the sum of one hundred pounds, for the year 1835.

To the Adjutant General of the Militia Forces, the sum of —— pounds, for his services for the year 1835.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. Woodward,
Crane,	Hanington,
Ford,	Palmer,
Chandler,	Burns,
Weldon,	Connell,
Johnston,	Gilbert,
Street,	Freeze.
Robinson,	
Partelow,	
J. M. Wilmot,	
Slason,	
Miles,	
M'Leod,	
Taylor,	
Wyer,	
Brown,	
L. A. Wilmot,	
Clinch,	
Hill,	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

And on motion that the blank be filled up with the sum of seventy-five pounds, it also passed in the affirmative.

To the Quarter Master General of the Militia Forces, the sum of twenty-five pounds, for taking care of the Arms for the present year.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, a sum not exceeding one hundred pounds, to be applied in rewarding persons for the apprehension of Deserters from His Majesty's Land Forces within the Province, provided always, that no greater sum than five pounds be paid for the apprehension of any one Deserter.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of ——— pounds, for the contingent expenses of the Province.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Speaker,
Ford,	L. A. Wilmot,
Chandler,	Hill,
End,	Clinch,
Weldon,	Freeze,
Street,	Brown,
J. M. Wilmot,	Gilbert,
Slason,	M'Leod,
Taylor,	Morehouse,
Wyer.	Miles,
	Connell,
	Burns,
	Partelow,
	Robinson,
	Johnston,
	Hanington,
	Palmer,
	Woodward.

And it was decided in the negative.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, a sum not exceeding ——— pounds, to pay the Adjutants of Militia of the different Counties of this Province for the last year; and a further sum not exceeding ——— pounds, to pay the Sergeant Majors of Militia of this Province, for the time being, who were actually employed for the same period; provided that each Sergeant Major who shall appear by a Certificate from his Commanding

Commanding Officer to have faithfully performed his duty, shall receive a sum not exceeding seven pounds ten shillings.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. Speaker,
Stewart,	Connell,
Ford,	Hill,
Crane,	Freeze,
Palmer,	Brown,
End,	Clinch,
Weldon,	Gilbert,
Chandler,	Burns,
Slason,	Partelow,
Miles,	Street,
Morehouse,	Johnston,
M'Leod,	Hanington,
Wyer,	Woodward,
L. A. Wilmot,	J. M. Wilmot.
Taylor.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

When the following was moved, and further

Resolved, That no provision for this service will in future be made.

Upon the question the Committee again divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Allen,
Woodward,	Ford,
Palmer,	Stewart,
Hanington,	End,
Crane,	Weldon,
Johnston,	Chandler,
Street,	Slason,
Partelow,	M'Leod,
J. M. Wilmot,	L. A. Wilmot,
Burns,	Wyer.
Miles,	
Taylor,	
Morehouse,	
Gilbert,	
Connell,	
Freeze,	
Hill,	
Brown,	
Clinch.	

And it was also carried in the affirmative.

And on motion that the first blank be filled up with the sum of four hundred and thirty five pounds, and the second with the sum of two hundred and seventeen pounds ten shillings, it was also carried in the affirmative.

It was then moved, that the Resolution for appropriating the allowance to the Attorney General, be reconsidered.

And upon the question the Committee divided, and it was decided in the negative.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of ——— pounds, for the Inspecting Field Officers, for the year 1835.

On the question for sustaining this Resolution, the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Ford,	Mr. Speaker,
Chandler,	Woodward,
Crane,	Hanington,
Stewart,	Palmer,
Weldon,	Robinson,
Johnston,	Street,
End,	Partelow,
M'Leod,	Burns,
Wyer,	J. M. Wilmot,
Clinch.	L. A. Wilmot,
	Miles,
	Morehouse,
	Gilbert,
	Connell,
	Brown,
	Freeze,
	Hill.

And it was decided in the negative.

To the Master in Chancery, appointed to carry Messages between the Legislative Council and the House of Assembly, the sum of forty pounds.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, a sum not exceeding five hundred pounds, to defray any expenses that may be incurred in the protection of the Revenue of the Province, for the year 1835.

To the President and Directors of the Fire Insurance Company, the sum of six hundred pounds, being one year's Interest on the Provincial Loan, ending the first day of March, 1835.

To D. W. Jack, Tide Surveyor for Saint Andrews, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, being for his services from the 1st April, 1834, to the 1st April, 1835.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, the sum of ninety-one pounds five shillings, to enable the Treasurer to pay John Abrams for his services as Tide Waiter at Saint John, for the year 1835.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, the sum of seventy-five pounds, for the service of a Tide Surveyor at Miramichi, for 1835.

To. B. C. Chaloner, Tide Surveyor at Saint John, the sum of fifty pounds, being for his services from the 1st May, 1834, to the 1st May, 1835.

To the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, the sum of one hundred pounds, being for the services of a Tide Waiter or Messenger to the Treasury, in the year 1835.

And the Chairman further reported, that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions, as passed by the Committee, engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Ordered, That the House do, on Saturday next, go into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the further increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of New-Brunswick, and to amend and continue the Act for Incorporating the said Bank.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Thursday, 19th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, from the Committee of Trade, submitted a further report, which he read, and is as followeth :—

"The

"The Committee of Trade, to whom was referred certain Petitions, Report, that they have had under consideration the Petition of E. D. W. Ratchford, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, of the City of Saint John, praying that An Act may pass, repealing all Acts now in force, making certain Coins a legal tender in this Province, and affixing a legal value to the several Coins now in circulation, and that they will submit a Bill to the House for the purpose prayed for.

"The Committee have also had under consideration, the Petitions of George Whittaker, John Hartt, James Adams, and 19 others, Manufacturers of Leather in the City of Saint John, praying Legislative protection by having a duty imposed upon Leather imported into the Province; and of Samuel Bustin, and 13 others, licensed Butchers of Saint John, praying Legislative protection for the reasons set forth in said Petition and are of opinion, that both the prayers of those Petitions would be complied with, by imposing an Ad-valorem duty on Leather; and the Committee respect fully recommend that an Ad-valorem duty be imposed on all Leather imported into this Province.

"All which is respectfully submitted to this Honorable House.

JOHN M. WILMOT,
L. BURNS,
P. STEWART,
I. WOODWARD,
THOS. WYER.

"*Committee Room, 17th February*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company*, be re-committed.

The House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Burns in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into re-consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made a further amendment thereto, and then agreed to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill as further amended engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the erection and maintaining of Light Houses within the Gulf of Saint Lawrence.

Mr. Gilbert in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same, with amendments, under the Title of "A Bill relating to Light Houses and other establishments on the Island of Saint Paul's in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee on Public and Private Accounts, reported, that they had under their examination the Accounts from Supervisors of Great Roads, and submitted a report, which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 4.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, from the Committee to whom was referred the Laws regulating Elections, submitted a report, which he read, and is as followeth :—

"Mr. L. A. Wilmot, from the Select Committee appointed to examine into the Laws regulating the Election of Members to serve in General Assembly in this Province, and to report what alterations they deem it expedient to make therein,—are of opinion, that the following alterations and amendments should be made in the said Laws :—

"That

"That the Poll be kept open not to exceed eight days, exclusive of Sundays, in any County.

"That it be made imperative on the Sheriff to move the Poll to any part of the County, by the request of at least one half of the Candidates.

"That the form of Oath of a Freeholder's qualification be altered, and that he be required to state whether he holds by purchase, descent, marriage, or by what other tenure, and in what Parish his Freehold is situate.

"That in case the qualification of any Candidate be publicly questioned at the Poll, by two or more Freeholders, he shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, at the Poll, state on Oath to the Sheriff his qualification—where situate—and by what tenure he holds the same, and that it is worth the amount required by Law, for the qualification of a Candidate, over and above all incumbrances; and in default thereof, the Sheriff shall erase the name of such Candidate from the Poll Book.

"That that part of the third Section of 31 Geo. III cap. 17, and that part of the 9 Geo. IV cap. 36, relating to incumbrances on the real estate of Candidates, shall not be construed to extend to any other incumbrances than Mortgages and Deeds of Trust.

"That any person who may vote at any Election without being duly qualified, shall be liable to a penal Action at the suit of any one of the Candidates; which Action shall be brought within six months next after the close of such Election;—and the Defendant in such actions shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Twenty pounds, nor less than Forty shillings.

"That such part of the 4th Section 9 Geo. IV cap. 36, as relates to a Certificate of a vacancy occurring in the Representation of Kent or Gloucester, and requires such Certificate from a Member of the House in the County of Northumberland, be repealed.

"That any Member may at any time vacate his seat by letter to the Speaker, which letter is to be signed in the presence of, and attested by a Judge of the Supreme Court, or Justice of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas; and that upon a Seat being thus vacated, the Speaker do forthwith issue his Warrant for the Election of a Member to fill such vacancy.

"That the 10, 11 and 13 Sections of the 31 Geo. III cap. 17, and the 5 Section 9 Geo. IV cap. 36, be repealed.

"That the Sheriff deposit the Poll Book with the Clerk of the Peace, within ten days after the return day of the Writ of Election.

L. A. WILMOT, *Chairman.*
WILLIAM END,
J. W. WELDON,
THOS. O. MILES,
W. M'LEOD.

"*Committee Room, 19th February, 1835.*"

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company.*

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to provide for the establishing and maintaining of Booms, for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber, in the several Rivers within this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Connell take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for facilitating the recovery of the wages of Seamen in the Merchant Service and Coasting Trade of this Province.

Resolved,

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to regulate the ungranted Ferries in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Secretary Odell, by command of His Excellency, delivered the following Messages:—

"New-Brunswick,

"*Message to the House of Assembly*, 19*th February*, 1835.

"ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

"THE Lieutenant Governor informs the House of Assembly, that he has received His Majesty's commands to resume the collection of the Quit Rents in this Province, from the period to which they were relinquished by His Majesty, namely, Midsummer 1831.

"The Lieutenant Governor, however, entertains the confident hope that the Assembly will, upon due consideration of this important subject, relieve him from the discharge of this duty, and their Constituents from the inconveniences that must necessarily attend the collection, by making such provision for the redemption of these Rents as will be acceptable to His Majesty's Government.

"A. C."

New-Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly*, 19*th February*, 1835.

"ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

"THE Lieutenant Governor directs to be laid before the House of Assembly Accounts of the travelling and attendance of Officers and Men at a Court Martial, which he felt himself, though reluctantly, obliged to order for the investigation of charges involving the character and discipline of the Militia; and he recommends to the House to make provision for remunerating these services.

"A. C."

"New Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly*, 19*th February*, 1835.

"ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

"THE Lieutenant Governor recommends to the House of Assembly a Copy of a Dispatch from the Right Honorable Earl of Aberdeen, on the subject of the joint Address of the Council and Assembly, respecting the naturalization of Aliens.

"A. C."

[COPY.]

"*Downing Street*, 20*th December*, 1834.

"SIR,

"I HAVE had under my consideration your Dispatch, No. 15, of the 5th of March last, accompanied by an Address of the Assembly drawing attention to a former joint Address of the Legislative Council and Assembly, praying that Aliens, desirous to become naturalized in New Brunswick, might be relieved from the necessity of taking the Sacramental Test, as prescribed by the 2d Section of the Act 13 Geo. 2, cap. 7.

"His Majesty's Government feels itself precluded from acceding to the suggestion that it should recommend the Repeal of this Clause by Parliament. In order however to afford relief to persons of foreign birth who have been long resident in the Colony, with the wish to be deemed British Subjects, there will be no objection to consent to a Provincial Law enacting that individuals who have had their settled place of abode in New Brunswick for seven years or more, previous to the passing of the Statute, may become entitled to the privileges of natural born subjects by taking the Oath of Allegiance within three years after the passing of the Act, if they be of the full age of 16 at that time; if not, within three years from their attaining that age. The Oath of Allegiance administered under any such Provincial Act might also be made to include a Declaration that the party had been an actual resident for seven years, according to the intention of the Statute. I annex the form of an Oath which would meet both objects. It must be understood, that no Bill of the nature in question could be assented to unless it were entirely retrospective—neither could any provision be admitted respecting the renunciation of any allegiance, or supposed allegiance, to any foreign State. That question must be decided by the general Law of Nations, without being made the subject of any enactment, either remedial or declaratory. Finally, you will not be at liberty to assent to any Act on the present important and difficult subject, unless it contain a clause suspending its operation until the pleasure of His Majesty be signified.

"I do not propose, by the foregoing communication, to urge upon the Legislative Council and Assembly any particular

ticular measure respecting Aliens as a course recommended by His Majesty's Government. I feel that the Legislature itself must be the best judge what local circumstances may admit of or require on this subject. But in stating the inability of His Majesty's Government to adopt one particular mode of proceeding suggested by the Council and Assembly, I was unwilling to abstain from pointing out another expedient which occurred to me as a means of enabling the Legislature to accomplish the object it has in view.

"You will have the goodness to transmit a copy of this Dispatch, by Message, to both Houses of the Provincial Parliament.

"I have the honor to be,

"Sir,

"Your most obedient humble servant,

"ABERDEEN."

"Major General Sir Archibald Campbell, Bart. G. C. B."

FORM OF OATH.

"I do swear [or being one of the Persons allowed by Law to affirm in civil cases, do affirm] that I have resided seven years in His Majesty's Dominions, without having been, during that time, a stated Resident in any Foreign Country; and that I will be faithful, and bear true allegiance to the Sovereign of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of this Province as dependent thereon."

New-Brunswick.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, 19th February, 1835.*

"ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL.

"THE Lieutenant Governor directs to be herewith laid before the House of Assembly, an Extract from a Dispatch from the Right Honorable The Earl of Aberdeen, one of His Majesty's principal Secretaries of State, in answer to the Address of the House on the subject of the Proceeds of the Crown Revenues.

"A. C."

Extract of a Dispatch from the Right Honorable Earl of Aberdeen to His Excellency Sir Archibald Campbell, Bart. dated "Downing Street, 24th December, 1834.

"I HAVE had under my serious consideration your Dispatch, No. 17, of the 24th March last, accompanied by an Address to His Majesty from the House of Assembly, respecting the recent offer which had been made to them of the Proceeds of the Crown Revenues in New Brunswick.

"From various parts of the Address, I infer that the proposals conveyed to the Assembly, through my Predecessor, must have been misapprehended in more than one important particular; and I have especially remarked the erroneous assumption that, in offering to surrender the proceeds of the Crown Lands, it was intended also to give up their management, and to place them under the control of the Legislature.

"From the course of their proceedings, as well as the tenor of the present expression of their sentiments, the Assembly must be understood to consider it an indispensable condition that the payments of the Land Company should be comprised among the objects to be surrendered to them. This is a condition to which His Majesty's Government cannot agree. His Majesty's Government would also be unable to recognise the interpretation which was placed on their former offer, so far as regards the control over the Lands belonging to the Crown in New Brunswick. Under these circumstances, I can only desire you to convey to the Assembly His Majesty's regret, that the objects of their Address cannot be complied with; and adverting to the wide difference between the views entertained by the Government and those manifested by the Assembly on this subject, it seems to me that no advantage could be anticipated from making any further proposals at present, respecting the cession of the Territorial Revenue."

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day to go into Committee of the whole, on the Petition from William Frankland, and others, Inhabitants of Grand Manan, presented to the House on the 5th instant, praying measures to be adopted for the Protection of the Fisheries.

The Order of the Day being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of the whole, in consideration of the said Petition.

Mr. Ford in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the Petition referred to them, under consideration, had passed the following Resolution :—

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Committee it be recommended to the House, that an Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying His Excellency would communicate with the Admiral on the Station, to have a Vessel of War stationed in the Bay of Fundy, during the Fishing season, for the protection of the Fisheries therein.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on the Report from the Committee on the Treasurer's Accounts.

Mr. Clinch in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The

The Chairman reported, that the Committee had the Report referred to them under consideration, and had passed the following Resolution :—

"*Resolved,* That the Accounts Numbers 94. 94½, 102, 105 and 108 be referred to the Committee of Supply."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the Incorporation of *The Loch Lomond Paper Company.*

Mr. Palmer in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and the Committee had passed the following Resolution :—

"*Resolved,* That the further consideration of the Bill be postponed for three months.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill relating to Corporations.

Mr. Freeze in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill to them referred, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to continue an Act intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester."

Mr. Hill in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. End,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to prevent expense in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, they had made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill relating to the Herring Fisheries in the County of Charlotte.

Mr. Woodward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, in the Committee the following Resolution was moved

"*Resolved,* That the further consideration of this Bill be postponed until the next Session of the General Assembly."

And upon the question the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Clinch,	Mr. Speaker,
Hill,	Stewart,
Brown,	Robinson,
Wyer,	End,
Johnston,	Palmer,
Chandler,	J. M. Wilmot,
Ford,	Connell,
Hanington,	Allen,
Morehouse.	Miles,
	M'Leod,
	Gilbert,
	L. A. Wilmot,

And it was decided in the negative.

And that the Committee then went through the Bill, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. End, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to authorize the Deputy Treasurers in the County of Gloucester, to pay over to the Commissioners of Sick and disabled Seamen, the Duties collected for the support of Sick and disabled Seamen in the several Ports in that County; which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

Ordered, That the House do, on Monday next, go into Committee of the whole in further consideration of the Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Friday, 20th February, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

The House went into Committee of the whole in further consideration of Ways and Means of raising a Revenue in the Province.

Mr. Palmer in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the matters referred to them under consideration, and he was directed to report, that in the Committee the following Resolution was moved,

"*Resolved*, That in the opinion of this Committee, an additional Duty of ——— be imposed upon all Wines imported into this Province."

To which the following was moved as amendment:

To strike out all after the word "Committee" and insert,

"A discriminating Duty should take place upon all Wines imported into this Province, and the Duty on low Wines be lessened."

Upon the question for adopting the amendment, the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. L. A. Wilmot,
Stewart,	Hanington,
Johnston,	Chandler,
Street,	Weldon,
Partelow,	Ford,
Robinson,	Crane,
J. M. Wilmot,	Burns,
Morehouse,	Slason,
Woodward,	Connell,
Gilbert,	Miles,
Brown,	M'Leod,
Clinch,	Taylor,
Allen,	Hayward,
Wyer,	Freeze.
End,	
Hill.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

That the following Resolution was then moved:—

Resolved, In the opinion of this Committee, that an additional Duty of ——— pence per Gallon be imposed on all Brandy imported into this Province."

And upon the question the Committee again divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Woodward,
Chandler,	Ford,
Hanington,	Allen,
Crane,	Stewart,
Burns,	End,
Slason,	Weldon,
Taylor,	Partelow,
Hayward,	Robinson,
M'Leod,	J. M. Wilmot,
Morehouse,	Wyer,
Connell,	Clinch.
Brown,	
Freeze,	
Gilbert,	
Hill,	
L. A. Wilmot.	

And it was also carried in the affirmative.

That the Committee then passed the following Resolution :—

"*Resolved,* That in the opinion of this Committee the present Revenue Laws be continued and amended, with certain exceptions."

The following Resolution was then moved :—

Resolved, As the opinion of this Committee, that the Duty on Foreign dead fresh Meats of all kinds should be discontinued."

And upon the question, the Committee again divided, and it was decided in the negative.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the Inhabitants of the Parish of Grand Manan, for the erection of a Lock-up-House, in the said Parish: and

A Bill for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning, in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish; without any amendment.

And that they had also agreed to the following Bills, with amendments.

A Bill to alter the division line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York:

A Bill for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy:

A Bill to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province, to inspect the Public Accounts, and to inquire into the nature of the Public charges against the said Counties:

A Bill to regulate the Fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province, and also in the Mayor's Court of the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of Causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined or Interlocutory Judgment signed: and

A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the Magaguadavic, and its branches; to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

And that he was further directed to communicate the following:—

"*Legislative Council Chamber, 19th February, 1835.*

"*Whereas* the Dispatch of the late Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated 20th May, 1834, in answer to the Petitions of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, on the subject of the Timber Duties, contains the gratifying assurance, that no step will be taken regarding those Duties, without the fullest consideration of the Colonial interests involved; And Whereas it is expedient, for various reasons, again to address His Majesty's Government on this highly important subject, therefore

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Majesty, praying that no change be made in those Duties, that would operate to the injury of the North American Colonies; and that the House of Assembly be requested to join in such Address:

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to prepare a Bill to increase the Revenue of the Province, and to continue and amend the Laws now in force relating to the same.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon, Mr. Woodward, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Chandler, and Mr. Wyer, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Address of the House of the 17th instant, on the subject of an accurate survey of the Coasts of the Bay of Fundy, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and His Excellency was pleased to say, he would have much pleasure in attending to the wishes of the House on the subject of said Address.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill relating to Corporations.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Stewart take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill relating to the Herring Fisheries in the County of Charlotte.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. J. M. Wilmot take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read as engrossed,

The Resolutions of Appropriations made and passed the 16th and 18th instant.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the said Resolutions to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read

Read a second time,

A Bill to authorize the Deputy Treasurers in the County of Gloucester, to pay over to the Commissioners of sick and disabled Seamen, the duties collected for the support of sick and disabled Seamen in the several Ports in that County.

Mr. Robinson moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to regulate the inspection of Dry and Pickled Fish for Home consumption and for exportation.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr Taylor,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the Office of Deputy Surveyors in this Province.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, in the Committee it was

"*Resolved*, That the further consideration of the Bill be postponed for three months."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Clinch moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to make rules and regulations for the management of the Lock-up-House in Saint George.

And the Order of the House limiting the time for bringing in Bills being dispensed with, leave was granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. End,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to prevent expence in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, the question was taken upon the First Section thereof.

Whereupon the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Street,
Hill,	Burns,
Morehouse,	Freeze,
Brown,	Miles,
Gilbert,	Hayward,
M'Leod,	Connell,
Chandler,	Wyer,
Slason,	Taylor.
L. A. Wilmot,	
Partelow,	
Crane,	
Stewart,	
Ford,	
Allen,	
End,	
Hanington,	
Robinson,	
Woodward,	
Palmer.	

And it was decided in the affirmative.

That the Committee then went through the Bill and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

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The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to levy an assessment towards paying off the debt due by the said County.

Mr. Connell in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee on Public and Private Accounts, Reported, that they had under their examination the Accounts from the Commissioners of Bye Roads, and submitted a Report, which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 4.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee on the Petition of George G. Gilbert, submitted a Report, which he read, and is as follows :—

"The Select Committee to whom was referred the Petition of George G. Gilbert, praying that provision may be made by the Legislature for the payment of a sum of money due him from the Province for Marsh land, have had the same under consideration, and report—

"That in 1829 the said George G. Gilbert, with Allan Otty, were appointed Commissioners for the Saint John Marsh Road, and finding it necessary to widen the same, purchased from the proprietors of land adjoining, sixteen feet in width, on the west side of the Road, a survey and account of the same was made amounting to £228, of which Mr. Gilbert was entitled to receive £93 as part owner of said land. The account of said Commissioners for the year 1830, in which the said land was charged, was not sustained by the House. In 1831 another account was furnished by the said Commissioners, in which the charge for land from Mr. Gilbert was reduced to £25— Mr. Gilbert, intending as he has informed your Committee, to take the remainder of his land back again, but has been prevented from doing so, by the Supervisor of said Road, who has furnished the Petitioner with a Certificate to that effect, which has been produced to your Committee. Mr. Gilbert therefore seeks to obtain the value of said land, the quantity being one and one-twentieth Acres, as appears by the Certificate of the Surveyor. Mr. Gilbert has furnished a statement of his claim, as follows :—

1 1-20 Acre of Land at £50 per Acre,	52	10	0
120 Roods of Wood Fence,	15	0	0
	67	10	0
6 years Interest,	24	6	0
	91	16	0
6 years Interest on £36 7 11, the balance due him as per Report of Committee, 1831,	13	0	0
	£104	16	0

"The above sum of one hundred and four pounds sixteen shillings is exclusive of the sum of thirty-six pounds seven shillings and eleven pence, which was allowed Mr. Gilbert by the Report of the Committee of Public and Private Accounts.

"All which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM CRANE,
I. WOODWARD,
JAMES BROWN, Jr."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted : and

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

Further *Ordered,* That the said Report be referred to the Committee of Supply.

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On motion of Mr. Wyer,

Whereas complaints have been made to this House by the Magistrates and other Inhabitants of the Island of Grand Manan, that the frequent violations of the Treaty between Great Britain and the United States relating to the Fisheries take place to the great injury of the said Inhabitants of Grand Manan and other of His Majesty's subjects engaged in prosecuting the Fisheries on the Coasts of this Province; therefore

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to communicate with the Admiral on the Station, in order that a Vessel of War may be stationed in the Bay of Fundy for the protection of the Fisheries within the same.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer, Mr. M'Leod, and Mr. Connell, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, 21st February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill to empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to make rules and regulations for the management of the Lock-up-House in Saint George: and

A Bill to regulate the inspection of dry Fish for home consumption, and for exportation.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee of Public and Private Accounts, reported, that they had the Accounts from Commissioners of Light Houses, and Buoys and Beacons under their consideration, and submitted a report, which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 4.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Woodward, from the Committee of Trade, reported the Bill recommended by them in their Report of the 19th instant, on the subject of making certain Coins a legal tender, under the Title of

"A Bill for establishing a Tender in all payments to be made in this Province, and for repealing all the Laws now in force relating to the same."

The Bill being handed in was read a first time.

Mr. Clinch, from the Committee appointed to take under consideration the Petition of William Curry and Milatiah Calkin, submitted a Report, which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee to whom was referred the Petition of William Curry and Milatiah Calkin, Administrators to the Estate of Cadwallader Curry, deceased, praying that an extension of time may be granted them for the payment of certain Bonds entered into by the said Cadwallader Curry to His Majesty, for Provincial Duties,

"Report as their opinion, that it would be expedient to allow the said Administrators a further time of nine months for the payment of those Bonds, upon their giving good security to the Province Treasurer for the same with Interest.

PATRICK CLINCH,
J. R. PARTELOW,
J. W. WELDON.

"*Committee Room, 21st February*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow, *Resolved*,

Resolved, That the several Accounts relating to the Casual Revenue and Department of Crown Lands, communicated by order of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, on the 17th instant, in compliance with an Address of the House, be referred to a Select Committee to report thereon.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Woodward, and Mr. J. M. Wilmot, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, from the Navigation Committee, made a report, which he read, and is as follows :—

" The Committee appointed to take into consideration the expediency of improving the navigation of the Rivers, Bays, Harbours, and Creeks of the Province, Report as follows :—

" That they have had under their consideration a Petition from sundry inhabitants of the County of Queen's, praying that measures may be adopted by the Legislature for the purpose of connecting the water of the River Saint John with that of Gage Town Creek, by means of a Canal across Grimross neck ; and after a deliberate consideration of the matters therein contained are of opinion, that the accomplishment of this object would greatly improve the navigation of that part of the River called 'no man's friend' for all description of sailing Vessels and Steam Boats, and also tend in a particular manner to facilitate the passage of Timber Rafts at the above place ; for by means of a Canal there, a circuitous rout of near four miles would be saved, and the danger that invariably attends Rafts at that place during the Freshet of being carried by the force of the current into the Dug Way would be avoided.

" And your Committee are further of opinion, that the above measure would be attended with great advantage and convenience to the inhabitants of Gage Town, and all persons residing in that Parish, and therefore do not hesitate to recommend the object of the Petitioners to the favorable consideration of the Legislature.

" They have also had under their consideration the Petition of sundry inhabitants of the Parish of Woodstock, praying Legislative aid for the purpose of removing Rocks in and near the Maductic Falls in the River Saint John, and for the reasons set forth in the Petition, they are of opinion that a sum of money for this purpose might be usefully applied, if expended under the superintendence and direction of a competent person.

" They are also of opinion from the report of the Representatives of the Counties of York and Carleton, that a small grant of money is necessary to improve the Towing Path on the margin of the River Saint John within those Counties, and also that a small sum is required for improving the navigation of the Tobique.

" They are also of opinion, that grants of public money for improving the navigation of the great Rivers of the Province generally, would be attended with much benefit to the Country, by diminishing the expence of floating to the Sea board, our principal Staple of exportation.

" All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN M. WILMOT,
HUGH JOHNSTON,
WILLIAM END,
JAMES TAYLOR,
J. M. CONNELL,
GEORGE S. HILL.

" *Committee Room, 18th February,* 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having gone into further consideration of the business referred to them, had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow :—

Resolved,

Resolved, That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the following sums, to be applied towards the improvement of the Roads throughout the Province, viz :—

The sum of one thousand four hundred pounds for the improvement of the Great Road between Saint John and the Nova Scotia Line, to be laid out as follows :—

On the Saint John Great Marsh, the sum of two hundred pounds.

Between A. Hennigar's and Hammond River, two hundred pounds.

Between Hammond River and Hayward's Mills, four hundred pounds.

Between Hayward's Mills and the Nova Scotia Line, four hundred pounds.

On the Westmorland Marshes, two hundred pounds.

The sum of one thousand pounds for the Great Road from Saint John to Saint Andrews. Three hundred and thirty pounds, part of that sum, to be laid out between Magaguadavic and Saint Andrews.

The sum of four hundred and fifty pounds for the Great Road from Fredericton to Saint John, via Nerepis.

The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds for the Great Road leading from Dorchester to Shediac, fifty pounds of which to be expended in gravelling the Dorchester Marsh on said road.

The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds for the Great Road from Shediac to the Bend of Petticodiac.

The sum of four hundred and fifty pounds for the Great Road from Shediac to Richibucto, the same to be expended in building a Bridge over the Great Buctouche River, in aid of individual subscriptions.

The sum of three hundred pounds for the Great Road from Richibucto to Chatham. Sixty pounds of this sum to be expended in repairing the Bridge over Blanchard's Creek, and seventy pounds to be expended in straightening the Road from Napan to Chatham Village.

The sum of three hundred and fifty pounds for the Great Road from Fredericton to the Finger Board.

The sum of one hundred pounds for the Great Road from Bellisle to Saint John.

The sum of one thousand five hundred pounds for the Road from Fredericton to Newcastle.

The sum of three hundred pounds for the Road from Fredericton to Saint Andrews.

Bye Roads in Kent County.

For Parishes of Richibucto, Carleton, Wellington, and Dundas.

The sum of 10*l*, for the road on the North side of Chediac River.

The sum of 30*l*, for a Bridge over the Creek on the East side of Cocagne Bay, and improve the Road through the Cape.

The sum of 25*l*, for the road on the South side of Cocagne River.

The sum of 12*l*, for the road on the North side of Cocagne River.

The sum of 25*l*, for the road leading round the Shore on the West side of Cocagne Bay to Bouctouch Harbour.

The sum of 10*l*, for the road on the South side of little Bouctouch River, and to improve the Hill at Smelt Brook.

The sum of 20*l*, for the road on the South side of Bouctouch River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Bridge over Black River at the Chapel.

The sum of 10*l*, for the road on the South side of the Chockpish River.

The sum of 12*l*, for the repairs of the Bridges from Richibucto to the Lower Village; and the sum of 8*l*, for to open the road from the Lower Village to Richibucto, by Atkinson's Mill.

The sum of 65*l*, for the repairs of the Bridge over Galloway Creek.

The sum of 15*l*, for the road from John Scott's, in Galloway, to the East branch of Saint Nicholas River.

The sum of 15*l*, for a Bridge over the West Branch of Saint Nicholas, 10*l*. for a Bridge over M'Kean's Brook, so called, and 5*l*, towards completing the Bridge over the South Branch Saint Nicholas.

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The sum of 15*l*, from M'Donald's lower line on the South side of Richibucto River to George Atkinson's, on the Nicholas River.

The sum of 68*l*, for the road at the West branch of Saint Nicholas River to the Coal Branch; and the further sum of 20*l*, in aid of individual subscriptions for a Bridge over the Coal Branch.

The sum of 60*l*, for the road on the North side of the Richibucto River, one half of which sum to be expended between Mill Creek and the Molus River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Bridge over Bass River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the road in rear of Little's to Pine's, on the main River.

The sum of 8*l*, for the road on the South side of the Aldoune River.

The sum of 20*l*, for the road on the South side of Kichebouguacis.

The sum of 27*l*, for the road from Taddy Babina's, on the Kichebouguacis, to the Kishibouguac River.

The sum of 15*l*, for the road on the North side of the Kishibouguac River.

The sum of 15*l*, for the road on the South side of the Kishibouguac River.

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, to he applied towards widening the Road at the Mill Bridge on the Road to Indian Town.

The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, for the Road from Saint John to Hopewell.

The sum of two hundred pounds, for the Road from Woodstock corner towards Houlton.

The sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, for the Road from Oromocto to Nerepis, via Gagetown, fifty pounds of this sum to be expended on the Road leading from Daniel Currie's to Dingee's Mill, and the residue thereof on the Road from Gagetown to the Nerepis Great Road.

The sum of sixty pounds, for the road from Magaguadavic second Falls to the new Settlement on the Fredericton Road.

To the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, the sum of one hundred and eleven pounds eighteen shillings and eight pence half penny, being for contingencies of Office for the year 1834.

To David W. Jack, Guager at Saint Andrews, the sum of seventeen pounds thirteen shillings, being for Guaging &c. in 1834.

To Robert Watson, Guager at Saint Stephen's, the sum of four pounds five shillings and six pence, being amount of his account for 1834.

To C. H. Jouett, Guager at West Isles, being amount of his account for 1834, eleven pounds twelve shillings and six pence.

To George Henderson, Guager at Miramichi, being amount of his account for 1834, five pounds four shillings.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, the sum of fifty pounds, to defray the expence of a Courier from Newcastle to Fredericton.

To the Commissioners of Buoys and Beacons for the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy, the sum of one hundred and eleven pounds and three pence, being the amount advanced by them in building a House for the Keeper of the Light House at the entrance of Saint Andrew's Harbour, to be taken out of the Light House funds.

To the Commissioners appointed for affording relief to Shipwrecked Mariners on Saint Paul's Island, three hundred and nineteen pounds fourteen shillings and seven pence, being amount of their account for expenditures for 1834.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of thirty pounds, in aid of individual subscription to pay a Courier passing between Hopewell and the Bend of Petticodiac River in the County of Westmorland.

That the sum of not exceeding four hundred pounds granted at the last Session to the Commissioners of Light Houses in the Bay of Fundy for the purpose of erecting a Buoy or Beacon on Quaco Ledges, the same to be taken from the Light House fund be reappropriated, and that the whole of that sum or so much of it as may be necessary be applied for the erection of a Light House at or near near Quaco Head.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of fifty pounds, to defray the expenses of a Missionary to the Milicite Tribe of Indians, for the year 1835.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of thirty pounds, in aid of individual

individual subscription to pay a Courier passing between Bathurst and Shippegan, in the County of Gloucester.

To John Pendlebury, Keeper of the Light House on Machias Seal Island, the sum of fifteen pounds, for expenses incurred by him in consequence of the wreck of a vessel on that Island in the year 1834.

To the Governor and Trustees of the Madras School, the sum of five hundred pounds, for the year 1835, towards the support of that institution.

To James Whitehead, a meritorious old Soldier who served in the Revolutionary War, the sum of ten pounds, to aid him in his present distressed situation.

To John Simpson, King's Printer, the sum of two hundred pounds, for printing the daily Journals of the Legislative Council and Assembly during the present Session.

To John Simpson, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, towards the printing the Journals of the Legislative Council and Assembly the present Session.

To Flora M'Rae, widow of the late Captain Alexander M'Rae, the sum of twenty pounds to assist her, in her present distressed condition.

To Matthew Brannen of the Secretary's Office, the sum of fifteen pounds, as a mark of approbation of his attentive and courteous demeanour in the said Office.

The sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty pounds, for the Great Road from Fredericton to the Canada line.

To William Watts, the sum of ten pounds for airing and taking care of the Province Hall.

To the Chairman of the Committee on Public and Private Accounts the sum of one hundred pounds for his services during the recess, in conformity with the directions of the House, and also for extra services during the Session in auditing, allowing and reporting the same.

The following Resolution was moved—

Resolved, That there be granted to Adam D. Thompson ——— pounds, for teaching a School in Saint Andrews, one year ending in 1833.

To which it was moved as an amendment, to strike out all after the word "Resolved" and substitute the following—

That the Petition of Adam D. Thompson be not complied with, it appearing his School was taught since April 1833.

And on the question the Committee divided—

Yeas 14. Nays 14.

And it being equal, the Chairman decided in the negative.

The question was then taken on the original Resolution, and it passed in the affirmative, and the blank filled up with the sum of twenty pounds.

And the Chairman further reported that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave granted to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That this House do concur with the Legislative Council, in the propriety of again addressing His Majesty's Government, upon the subject of the Timber Duties, and will join in the proposed Address to His Majesty's Government on this important subject.

Ordered, That Mr. Street communicate the aforegoing Resolution to the Council.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Ordered, That the postponed Order of the Day for going into Committee of the whole House, on a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same," be discharged, and stand the Order of the Day for Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Connell,

Resolved, That the Petition of Charles Perley, and others, praying Legislative aid

 towards

towards establishing a Steam Boat between Fredericton and Woodstock, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Clinch,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to make rules and regulations for the management of the Lock-up-House in Saint George.

Mr. Burns in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments, under the Title of "A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in the County of Charlotte to make rules and regulations respecting the Lock-up-Houses in that County."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

Mr. Wyer, from the Commmittee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of the House of yesterday, praying that His Excellency would be pleased to communicate with the Admiral on the station, requesting he would cause an armed Vessel of War to be stationed in the Bay of Fundy for the protection of the Fisheries, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and His Excellency was pleased to say, that he would take great pleasure in complying with the wishes of the House.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

Monday, 23d February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill relating to Light Houses and other establishments on the Island of Saint Paul's, in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to repeal all the Laws in force, for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways, in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provisions for the same:

Whereupon, an engrossed clause was offered to be added to the Bill, by way of Ryder, and to stand as part of the XXXVI Section thereof; and the same being thrice read, and the question put thereupon, it was agreed to by the House to be made part of the Bill, by way of Ryder.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had passed the following Bills, viz:—

A Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the more convenient administration of Justice in the Supreme Court."

A Bill intituled "An Act to facilitate the examination of Witnesses before Trial in the Supreme Court:" and

A Bill intituled "An Act to define the crime of Forgery," to which they desire the concurrence of the House:

And

And they had also agreed to

A Bill to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish, with amendments, to which they likewise desire the concurrence of the House.

The Bills passed by the Legislative Council, and sent down for the concurrence of the House, were then severally read a first time.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to levy an Assessment, towards paying off the Debt due by the said County.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to prevent expence in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. End take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Robinson moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City;

And the Order of the House limiting the time for bringing in Bills being dispensed with, leave was granted.

The said Bill being then brought in, was read a first time.

Read a second time,

A Bill for establishing a Tender in all payments to be made in this Province, and for repealing all the Laws now in force relating to the same.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to alter the Division Line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province to inspect the Public Accounts, and to inquire into the nature of the Public Charges against the said Counties.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to regulate the Fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, in the several Counties in this Province, and also, in the Mayor's Court of the City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after Issue joined or Interlocutory Judgment signed.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Street return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

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A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic and its Branches.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Brown return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill for the better securing of the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon, they were not concurred in by the House.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Freeze return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day to go in Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the IV. intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

The Order of the Day being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Bill referred to them under further consideration, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

Ordered, That the Order of the Day for going into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, be discharged, and stand the Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House proceeded to the adjourned Order of the Day, to go in Committee of the whole, on a Bill to provide for the further increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of New Brunswick, and to amend and continue the Act for incorporating the said Bank.

The Order of the Day being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, the following Resolution was moved—

Resolved, That the further consideration of this Bill be postponed until next Session of the General Assembly.

And upon the question the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Freeze,	Mr. Partelow,
Palmer,	Crane,
Brown,	Weldon,
L. A. Wilmot,	Stewart,
Clinch,	Chandler,
Burns,	Slason,
Hayward.	Hanington,
	End,
	Ford,
	Morehouse,
	Connell,
	Miles,
	Allen.

And it was decided in the negative.

That he was then directed further to Report, that they had made progress in the said Bill, and to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. Weldon, from the Committee appointed to prepare a Bill to increase the Revenue of the Province, and to continue and amend the Laws now in force, reported, that they had attended thereto, and prepared the same under the Title of a Bill to be intituled "An Act to amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province," which he was directed to present to the House.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The Bill being then handed in, was read a first time.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, relating to the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

Leave granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Tuesday, 24th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province: and

A Bill to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City.

And also the following sent from the Council:—

A Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the more convenient administration of Justice in the Supreme Court."

A Bill intituled "An Act to facilitate the examination of Witnesses before Trial in the Supreme Court:" and

A Bill intituled "An Act to define the crime of Forgery."

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Resolved, That the contents of the Address of this House, of the 27th January last, to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency would be pleased to afford such information to the House relative to the negotiation pending between His Majesty's Government and that of the United States, on the subject of the Northeastern Boundary, as His Excellency might deem expedient and proper, in order that the House might the better be enabled to prepare an humble and dutiful Address to His Majesty thereon, together with His Excellency's reply to the said Ad-

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dress, be communicated to the Legislative Council; that House requiring such information by a Resolution communicated on the 2d February instant, before it can go into consideration of the expediency of addressing His Majesty on the subject, in pursuance of the request contained in the Message of the House of Assembly of the 29th January."

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot be a Committee to communicate the same to the Legislative Council.

On motion of Mr. Burns,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the more easy and speedy recovery of small Debts and demands in the City of Saint John.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the business referred to them under further consideration, had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow:—

Resolved, That there be granted to D. B. Roberts, the sum of ———, for teaching a School for 1834.

To which was moved as an amendment, to strike out all after "Resolved" and insert

Resolved, As the opinion of this Committee, that the Petition of Daniel B. Roberts be not complied with, it appearing he was not licenced as required by Law, nor ever intended to be.

And on the question for adopting the amendment the Committee divided—

Yeas, 12. Nays 11.

And it was carried in the affirmative.

That there be granted to Harris Hatch, Esquire, Clerk of the Peace in and for the County of Charlotte, the sum of twenty-two pounds one shilling, being amount of certain Grain Bounty claims omitted to be returned in the Schedule for 1832.

To Commissioners to be appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, the sum of five hundred pounds in aid of individual subscription, to be applied towards the building of two Piers at the entrance of Quaco Creek.

To John Thompson, the sum of twenty-five pounds for teaching a School fifteen months at West Isles.

To Thomas Blacklock, to compensate him for teaching a School six months, the sum of ten pounds.

To Cadwallader E. Sayre, the sum of ten pounds for a School taught in Sackville, for the period of six months, ending in September, 1834.

To George Allen, the sum of thirteen pounds six shillings and eight pence for teaching a School eight months in Saint Patrick.

To Josiah Freeze, of Sussex Vale, a licensed Teacher, the sum of twenty pounds to remunerate him for teaching a School in the Parish of Brunswick, in Queen's County, for one year ending in October, 1829.

To John Kinnear, President of the Saint Patrick Society, the sum of fifty Pounds to enable the said Society to extend more effectual relief to the numerous Irish Emigrants arriving in Saint John, to be taken out of the Emigrant Fund.

To Thomas H. Black, the sum of five pounds for teaching a School in the middle Quaco District in the Parish of Saint Martin's for three months ending in September 1834.

To James Carter, of Saint David, in the County of Charlotte, the sum of twenty pounds

pounds due him for teaching a Public School in the Parish of Saint Andrews for the year ending on the 30th day of September, 1819.

To Thomas Simpson, the sum of twenty pounds for a School taught by him in the Emigrant Settlement between Hammond River and Hopewell, from the month of July, 1832, one year.

To the Commissioners of the Poor for Saint Andrews, the sum of one hundred and fifty-four pounds eighteen shillings, to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

To Jane M'Cracken, the sum of five pounds for teaching a School six months at West Isles.

To Duncan Bain, a licensed Teacher in Bathurst for teaching a School for nine months from 15th February, to 1st November, 1834, the sum of fifteen pounds.

To John Flynn, a licensed Teacher, the sum of twenty pounds for teaching a School in the Parish of Westfield, King's County, for one year ending 11th August 1829.

Resolved, That the Petition of Gilbert Purdy be not complied with.

To Elizabeth Briscoe, the sum of ten pounds for teaching a School one year in Saint Andrews, during the year 1834.

To the Justices of the Peace for the County of Kent, the sum of one hundred and fourteen pounds nine shillings, for expenses incurred by them in extending relief to Shipwrecked Emigrants from the Barque Proselyte, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

To the Justices of the Peace for the County of Westmorland, the sum of four pounds, for expenses incurred in relief extended to Shipwrecked Emigrants, the said sum to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

To the Rev. G. L. Wiggins, Minister of Grace Church, in the Parish of Portland, County of Saint John, the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds in aid of individual subscription towards establishing a Free School in that populous Parish.

To Robert Rankin, the sum of twenty-three pounds eleven shillings and eightpence, being excess of duty paid at the Treasury, under the Emigrant Act, on Passengers which arrived at Saint John in the Brig Neptune, in May last, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

And the Chairman further reported that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

A Bill in addition to and in continuation of the Act relating to the Bass Fishery in the County of Northumberland:

A Bill to alter and amend an Act, to repeal an Act for the better security of the navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester,'" so far as relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the said County of Gloucester:

A Bill to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly, relating to the surrender of the Principal in discharge of Bail: and

A Bill to continue an Act to regulate the Law, with regard to the course of proceedings on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court.

And also that they had agreed to

A Bill for the appointment of Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen, commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity, with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

Mr. Wyer, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill relating to the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy; which was read a first time.

Mr. Allen moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to prevent the clandestine landing of liberated Slaves and other persons therein mentioned from vessels arriving in this Province.

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The Order of the House limiting the time for bringing in Bills being dispensed with, leave was granted.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the business referred to them under further consideration had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table were there again read, and are as follow:—

Resolved, That there be granted to the Rev. J. Dunphy and Committee of management of Saint Malachy's Church in the City of Saint John, the sum of fifty pounds, in aid of individual subscription, towards the education of the numerous children of the Roman Catholic persuasion.

That there be granted to Messrs. Ezekiel Barlow and Sons the sum of one hundred and thirty-six pounds eleven shillings and three pence, being for drawback on twenty Puncheons of Rum exported for Quebec in April last on board Brig Trafalgar, said Vessel having been wrecked on her passage.

To John Robertson of Saint John, Attorney or Agent for Francis Carvell of Newry, Ireland, the sum of forty-one pounds seven shillings and six pence, being an excess of duty paid at the Treasury under the Passenger and Emigrant Act, on passengers which arrived in Saint John in the Brig Cupid in May last, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

Resolved, That the Petition of James Hays, be not complied with.

To the Board of Health for the City and County of Saint John, the sum of six hundred and thirty-nine pounds nineteen shillings and nine pence, being balance of their account for expenditure in 1834, agreeably to the prayer of their Petition.

To John Ward and Sons of Saint John, the sum of thirty-seven pounds ten shillings, being drawback on Sugar exported to Quebec in April last, agreeably to the prayer of their Petition.

Resolved, That the Petition of sundry Inhabitants of Grand Manan, be not complied with.

To George Coats a licensed Teacher, the sum of twenty pounds, to remunerate him for teaching a School in the Parish of Waterborough, in Queen's County, for one year ending in August 1832.

Resolved, That the Petition of Joseph Herbert, cannot be complied with.

To the Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, the sum of thirty-one pounds fourteen shillings and six pence, to remunerate them for expences incurred in relief extended by them to Shipwrecked Emigrants, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

To Alexander Gillespie licensed Teacher, the sum of twenty pounds, for teaching a School in Canning for one year ending January 1833.

To Charles Simonds, Esquire, on behalf and for the use of the managing Committee of the House of Female Industry in the City of Saint John, in aid towards the support of that Institution, the sum of thirty pounds.

To George G. Winniett, the sum of twenty pounds for a School taught by him in Hampton, in the County of King's, for the period of one year from September, 1832.

To William Leavitt, Thomas Leavitt, and James Kirk, the sum of five pounds eighteen shillings and ten-pence, being a return of Duties on Molasses shipped by them in the Ship Peruvian, on a Whaling voyage to the Pacific Ocean.

To Crookshank & Walker, and Ratchford & Lugrin, the sum of sixty pounds twelve shillings and six-pence, being for Drawback on 33 Hogsheads Sugar and one Puncheon of Rum shipped on board Brig Trafalgar in April last, for Quebec, and lost on the voyage, said Vessel having been wrecked.

To Crookshank & Walker, the sum of five hundred and twenty-five pounds three shillings and nine-pence, being for Drawback on 73 Puncheons of Rum exported by Brig William the Fourth to Halifax, in June last,

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To Crookshank & Walker, and Ezekiel Barlow and Sons, the sum of eleven pounds two shillings and three-pence, being for Drawback on 10 Casks of Wine shipped on board Schooner Amenia, in July last, for New York, the Vessel being wrecked on the voyage.

To John V. Thurgar, the sum of six pounds seventeen shillings and six pence being for Drawback on one Puncheon of Rum exported to Nova Scotia in the Schooner Wasp, in September last.

To George D. Robinson, Edward J. Budd, and N. Smith DeMill, the sum of four pounds ten shillings and six-pence for return Duty on 10 Hogsheads Molasses sent as Stores on board the Ship Thomas Millidge on a Whaling Voyage to the South Atlantic Ocean, in July last.

To the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, the sum of eight hundred and thirty-two pounds twelve shillings and six-pence to reimburse the Overseers of the Poor for the City of Saint John, for expenses, actually incurred by them in the support and relief of distressed Emigrants in 1834, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

To the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, the sum of sixty-seven pounds eighteen shillings and seven pence, to reimburse the Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Portland for expenses actually incurred by them in the support and relief of distressed Emigrants in 1834, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

To the President, Directors and Company of the Fire Insurance Company, the sum of fifty pounds six shillings and nine-pence, being additional Interest due them on their Loan to the Province, in consequence of the Interest on the said Loan not having been paid when due, agreeably to the prayer of their Petition.

To the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of John, the sum of one hundred and thirty four pounds fifteen shillings and six-pence, towards the payment of the expence incurred in the purchase of Buildings for a Cholera Hospital in the Parish of Portland.

To William Brenan, the sum of twenty pounds for keeping a School in the Parish of Portland during the year 1834.

To the Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, the sum of fifty-nine pounds sixteen shillings and ten-pence, to reimburse the Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Portland for expenses incurred in the support of sick and distressed Black Refugees in 1834, and the further sum of fifty-five pounds for the same purpose, incurred in 1833.

To John Phelan, the sum of ten pounds to remunerate him for teaching a Free Colored School in the Parish of Kingsclear, County of York.

Resolved, That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, the sum of one thousand pounds for the Great Road between Restigouche and Newcastle, of which

One hundred pounds to be expended between Goodfellow's and Foren's:

Four hundred pounds to be expended from Ferguson's Mill Stream towards Eel River, on the Line explored by W. M'Donald:

One hundred pounds to assist in the erection of a Bridge over the Confluence of the Middle and Little Rivers: and

The residue to be expended between Bathurst and Foren's.

Northumberland Bye Roads.

The sum of 100*l*, to assist in building a Bridge across Fraser's, Mill Stream on the north side of the north west branch of the Miramichi.

The sum of 25*l*, to improve the Road and Bridges between Oxford's Brook and Call's Cove, both inclusive, through the Indian reserve on the North side of the North west branch Miramichi.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Newcastle to Chaplain's Island on the North-west, part of which to be expended in erecting a Bridge across the Mill Stream on that Road, and 3*l* 10*s*, other part thereof to be paid to William Joplin for expenses formerly incurred by him in exploring that Road. The

The sum of 25*l.* to open the new Road from James Casey's above Henderson's Mill Cove to the back Lots and thence in front upwards, till it strikes the Road leading from Chaplain's Island, as laid out by C. J. Peters junr.

The sum of 30*l*, to explore and open a Road from the Bathurst Road, commencing near Curry's Tavern on the North side of Bartibog River to the Bartibog Church on the Miramichi.

The sum of 10*l*, to assist in opening a Road from Curry's on the Bartibog to Green Rock.

The sum of 25*l*, for improving the Road in rear of Douglas Town.

The sum of 10*l*, to continue the Road in front of the rear Lots in Chatham, called the Road back of Mr. Peters's, till it strikes the road leading from the main Road nearly opposite the Newcastle Ferry to the Back Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, to open and improve the Road, from the Road in front of the second tier of Lots to the third tier of Lots, from the Lots in the rear or nearly so of St. Paul's Church, Chatham.

The sum of 10*l*, to continue the Road in rear of Mr. Peters's till it strikes the Road leading from Chatham to Napan.

The sum of 5*l*, to be expended on the Road from George Kerr's Lot to the main Road on the south side of Napan River.

The sum of 20*l*, to explore and open a Road from the Road on the south side of Miramichi River at Murdock's Marsh to Napan River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road on the south side of Napan River between Thomas Hannah's property and Donald M'Donald's meadows.

The sum of 20*l*, from the Richibucto Road to the late Donald M'Gennis's Creek on South side Nepan River.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road leading from the main Road on the South side of Napan River, nearly in front of Samuel M'Night's property, to the back Lots on South side of said River as at present laid out and recorded.

The sum of 90*l*, to erect a Bridge across little Black River on the Road leading from Chatham to Bay du Vents in that situation which may be thought most advantageous by the Commissioner appointed to expend the same.

The sum of 35*l*, towards exploring and opening a new line of Road from the Williston Estate on the North side of Bay du Vents River to Point Escuminac.

The sum of 30*l*, to explore and open a Road on the North side of Bay du Vin River, commencing about 40 Rods North of the Bay du Vin Bridge, down to the Mill or lower Settlement on said River.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road on the South side of Napan River from M'Night's Mill to the School House at Point au Car.

The sum of 30*l*, to assist in making and improving the Road on the South side of the Southwest Branch of the Miramichi River, from William Hogan's up to Robert Doak's in the Parish of Blissfield.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Oyster River to Burnt Church.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Bridge across Burnt Church River to upper Nequack.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from upper to lower Nequack.

The sum of 15*l*, to explore and open a Road from Stymist's Mill Stream to Nequack.

The sum of 10*l*, towards exploring and opening a new line of Road from Oak Point to Bartibog, as a continuation of the Road from Tabusintac to Oak Point.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Red Bank Cove on the South side of the Northwest Branch of the Miramichi to Cuppage and White's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Meeting House below David Tozers' on the South side of the Northwest Miramichi to the Williamstown Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from John Goodfellow's on the Northwest to Christopher Parker's on the Southwest Miramichi through the Williamstown Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, to improve the Road on the South side of the little Southwest from Cuppage and White's to Joseph Holmes through the Indian Land.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road on the South side of the Miramichi River between Robert Leslie's residence and Peter Stewart's.

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The sum of 10*l*, to open the Road from the South side of Barneby's River between Lots No. 8 and 9 to the Semiwagan Hardwood Ridge.

The sum of 10*l*, towards exploring and opening a Road from the mouth of Dungarvon on the South side thereof to Maurice Powers's place.

The sum of 20*l*, to improve the Road from Indian Town on the North side of Renou's River to Matthew's place the upper settler on that River.

The sum of 25*l*, towards exploring and opening a Road from Doak and M'Laggan's Mills on Bartholemew's River to the mouth of the Dungarvan on Renou's River in Blackville.

The sum of 40*l*, to assist in improving the old Road from Doak and M'Laggan's Mill's on Renou's River round to the Widow's Fowler's place on the Southwest.

The sum of 25*l*, towards exploring and opening a Road from Doak and M'Laggan's Mills to the upper Settlement on Bartholemew River.

Gloucester Bye Roads.

The sum of 80*l*, for the Road from Ferguson's Mill Stream to the Glebe Lot.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Christopher's to the Upsalquitch.

The sum of 75*l*, for the Road from Dalhousie towards Robert Reid's.

The sum of 40*l*, for the Road towards the intended Bridge over Eel River.

The sum of 100*l*, for Armstrong's Brook.

The sum of 10*l*, for Belledune Bridge.

The sum of 100*l*, for the Bridge to be erected over the Confluence of Middle and Little Rivers.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Line from Bathurst towards the Babino out of which the late Exploration of Benjamin Murdock to be paid.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Line from the Miramichi Great Road towards Bass River on the Road to the Capes.

The sum of 20*l*, for improving passages down the Cliffs at Parrott's.

The sum of 90*l*, for the Bridge over Riviere du Nord to the Grand Aunce Settlement, to be expended on the present Line.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Bridge over the Riviere du Nord to the Ferry at the Southwest.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Bridge over Doucett's Creek.

The sum of 60*l*, from Pokemouche to Tracady.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Bridge on the Caraquet Portage in the rear of Blackhall's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from William Ellis's to Robert Ellis's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Richard Dawson's to the Mill Settlement.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Northumberland Line to Tracady.

Westmorland Bye Roads.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from New Horton to Cape Enrage.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Cape Enrage to Salmon River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from William Goff's to William Fillmore's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Germantown lake to Cape Enrage.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Soloman Hoar's to Robinson's, (formerly Crosby's.)

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Hopewell to Caledonia.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road leading to James Hoar's from Hopewell.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from Hamilton's in Hopewell to Hillsborough.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Colhoun's to Alexander Steves'.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Woodworth Settlement to Caledonia.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Stephen Steves' to the back Settlement at round Hill.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from M'Latchey's Bridge to George Colpitt's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from M'Latchey's to Stoney Creek.

The sum of 25*l*, for the repair of Stoney Creek Bridge.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading from Chapman's, up Turtle Creek. The

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading up Pollet River to John Goldart's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Thomas Colpitt's Mill through to Coverdale River Road and thence to Robert Colpitt's.

The sum of 10*l*. for the Road from George Colpitt's Mill to John Parkins' on Coverdale River.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Holstead's to Butternut Ridge.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Sherman's to North River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from George Cochran's on the North River to Lewis Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Scott's towards North River and thence to Wheaten's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the North River Road to Kellan's Mill.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Zachariah Lutes' to the Mountain Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Bend to the Mountain Settlement.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Bend to Irish Town.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Bend M'Laughlan's road towards Richibucto.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from Gabriel Herbert's to and through Downing's Village.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Abideau on the Road near Robert Atkinson's in Dorchester.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Shediac Road to the Manudie French Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Chapell to Peter Bellivore's.

The sum of 15*l*, for Scoudac Bridge.

The sum of 15*l*, for Aboushagan Bridge.

The sum of 20*l*, for the road from the Bridge on the S. W. branch on the Aboushagan River to the Sackvillie Road.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Morang Tarrio to the S. E. branch of the Aboushagan River.

The sum of 40*l*, for the Road from Thomas Ayer's to Benjamin Landrie's in Dorchester.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Philip Chapman's to Thomas Oulton's, Jr.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from Thomas Oulton's, Jr. to the Gaspereau Bridge.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from William Mittin's to Crossman's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Bay Verte to Tignish.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Richardson's to Crossman's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Tedish to Shemogue.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from John Atkinson's to Crowsen's Mill.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Thomas Carter's to George Buck's.

The sam of 20*l*, for the Road from Gaspereau Bridge to Great Shemogue.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from George Spence's to George Allen's.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Gaspereau Bridge to Cape Tormentine through the Emigrant Settlement.

The sum of 20*l*, for Gaspereau Bridge.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Raworth's to the Emigrant Road.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the Beaujoggin Road to David Cook's, £5 of which to be expended on the Road to Miles Sears'.

The sum of 10*l*. for the Road from the Shemogue Road to the Settlement at Square Lake.

The sum of 15*l*. for the road from Shediac Road to the head of the Tide on the Shediac River by Joseph Hanington's

The sum of 20*l*. for the Road from Westcock to Cape Maranguin.

The sum of 10*l*. for the Road from John Palmer's to Second Westcock Hill.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Sackville to Beaujoggin.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Henry Ogden's to Beech Hill.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Bridge on the Road from James Ayer's to Beech Hill.

And

And the Chairman further reported, that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 25th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill relating to the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendment made by the Council to

A Bill for the appointment of Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity.

The amendment being read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Clinch return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the establishment of a Public Penitentiary for the City and County of Saint John.

Mr. Ford in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Bill referred to them under consideration, and passed the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the Bill be postponed until the next Session of the General Assembly.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The House proceeded to take into consideration a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

"An Act to define the crime of Forgery."

The said Bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That the House do agree thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Chandler return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

"An Act to facilitate the examination of Witnesses before Trial in the Supreme Court."

The said Bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That the House do agree thereto.

Ordered, That Mr. Chandler return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. End,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Deputy Treasurers in the County of Gloucester to pay over to the Commissioners of sick and disabled Seamen the Duties collected for the support of sick and disabled Seamen, in the several Ports in that County.

Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

 The

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same under the Title of

A Bill to explain an Act intituled "An Act in addition to and in amendment of the several Acts now in force to provide for sick and disabled Seamen not being Paupers, belonging to this Province, so far as the same relate to the County of Gloucester, and for other purposes therein mentioned."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed under the amended Title.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the inspection of Dry and Pickled Fish for home consumption and for exportation.

Mr. Chandler in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City.

Mr. Woodward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for the Incorporation of the Saint Stephen Rail Road Company.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in the County of Charlotte, to make Rules and Regulations respecting Lock-up-Houses in that County.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Clinch take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to afford such information to this House, as to the views of His Majesty's Government upon which the Quit Rents in this Province may be commuted or relinquished, as His Excellency may feel at liberty to communicate to this House.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon, Mr. Johnston, and Mr. Palmer, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the public service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the business referred to them under further consideration they had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table were there again read, and are as follow :—

Resolved, That the Petitions of John H. Ryan cannot be complied with.

That there be granted to the Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Springfield, the sum of twenty-three pounds ten shillings and eleven-pence, for assisting poor and indigent

indigent Emigrants in the said Parish, in the year 1834, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

Resolved, That the Petition of Patrick Waters be not complied with.

That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, a sum not exceeding ——— pounds, for the purpose of relieving John Young, Esquire, of Pokeshaw, from a prosecution at the suit of the Crown, under which the property of the said John Young was lately sold.

On the question for sustaining this Resolution, the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Woodward,	Mr. Hanington,
Stewart,	Ford,
End,	Crane,
Street,	Chandler,
Burns,	Partelow,
J. M. Wilmot,	Weldon,
Slason,	Brown,
Taylor,	Freeze,
L. A. Wilmot,	Connell.
Johnston,	
M'Leod,	
Gilbert,	
Wyer,	
Clinch,	
Hill,	
Allen,	
Morehouse,	
Palmer.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

And on the question for filling up the Blank with seventy pounds, the Committee again divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Woodward,	Mr. Hanington,
Stewart,	Ford,
End,	Partelow,
Street,	Weldon,
Burns,	Chandler,
Slason,	Connell,
J. M. Wilmot,	M'Leod,
Taylor,	Allen,
Wyer,	Brown,
L. A. Wilmot,	Clinch,
Morehouse.	Hill,
	Crane.

And it was decided in the negative.

It was then moved that the blank be filled up with fifty pounds.

Upon which the Committee again divided—

Yeas, 14. Nays, 11.

And it passed in the affirmative.

Resolved, That there be granted to Ebenezer Packard the sum of twenty pounds, for his services in keeping a Parish School in Northesk, in the County of Northumberland, for one year, viz: six months in 1830, and six months in 1831.

To Joshua Chappel the sum of thirty pounds, to assist him in providing a suitable Vessel for the conveyance of Passengers and Horses from Bay Vert to Prince Edward Island; Provided that to entitle him to receive the said sum, it be duly certified to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief by the Court of General Sessions of the Peace for the County of Westmorland, that the said Vessel has been provided, and is actually engaged in the transportation of Passengers and Horses as aforesaid.

To

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of one hundred and twenty-five pounds, to assist in rebuilding the Bridge across the Magaguadavic at Pomeroy's on the old Fredericton Road.

To Hannah A. Packard the sum of ten pounds, for her services in keeping a Parish School in Northesk, in the County of Northumberland, during six months in 1830, and six months in 1831.

That the Petition of the Governor and Trustees of the Madras School cannot be complied with.

To James and Wm. Delap of Saint John, the sum of thirty-four pounds five shillings, to reimburse them for an excess of duties paid at the Treasurer's Office on Passengers per Ambassador from Londonderry, under the Passenger and Emigrant Act, the same to be taken from the Emigrant fund.

To James T. Hanford of Saint John, the sum of seven pounds seven shillings and six pence, being for Drawback on Rum exported to Nova Scotia.

To Charity Williams the sum of twenty pounds, to remunerate her for teaching a School in the Parish of Fredericton.

To Ebenezer Smith and William Simpson, Executors of the Estate of the late Hugh M'Diarmid, a licensed Teacher, the sum of ten pounds, the said M'Diarmid having taught a School in the Parish of Hampton, King's County, for six months, during in the year 1834.

Resolved, That the Petition of George Bragg, cannot be complied with.

To Catharine Dayton the sum of ten pounds, to remunerate her for teaching a School in the Parish of Fredericton for one year.

To Messrs. Gilmour, Rankin & Co. of Miramichi, the sum of fourteen pounds eleven shillings and three pence, being the amount of Duties paid by them on two Puncheons of Rum exported by them in the years 1831 and 1833, one to Canada, and the other to Prince Edward Island.

To Joseph Samuels of Chatham, Miramichi, the sum of two pounds sixteen shillings and nine pence, being the amount of Duties paid by him on 42,400 Quills, and 35 Gross of Pencils, exported by him in July last to Quebec.

And the Chairman further reported that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to regulate the ungranted Ferries in this Province, with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Assembly.

And he was further directed to inform the House, "that the Honorable Messrs. Simonds and Cunard are appointed a Committee on the part of the Legislative Council, to join such Committee as may be appointed by the Assembly to prepare an Address to His Majesty upon the subject of the Timber Duties."

Mr. Weldon from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of this House, relative to any information which His Excellency may have from His Majesty's Government upon the subject of commuting or relinquishing the Quit Rents in the Province, Reported, that they had attended to that duty, and His Excellency was pleased to say, he had nothing further to communicate relative to the commuting or relinquishing the Quit Rents, his instructions being only to proceed with their collection.

Mr. Street from the Committee appointed to prepare a Bill regulating the Office of Sheriff, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and that he was directed to submit the same under the Title of "A Bill for the better regulation of the Office of Sheriff in this Province."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The Bill as reported by the Committee being then handed in was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to join the Committee of the Legislative Council, in preparing an Address to His Majesty's Government on the subject of the Timber Duties.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. Wyer, and Mr. J. M. Wilmot, be a Committee for that purpose; and further

Ordered, That Mr. Street communicate this appointment to the Council.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate Tavern-keepers and Retailers, and the granting of Licenses for the sale of strong and spirituous Liquors.

Mr. Partelow in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

THURSDAY, 26th February, 1835.

Prayers.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to.

A Bill to regulate the ungranted Ferries in this Province.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Street return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

Read a second time,

A Bill for the better regulation of the Office of Sheriff in this Province.

The House proceeded to take into consideration a Bill sent from the Council, intituled "An Act to provide for the more convenient administration of Justice in the Supreme Court; when the following amendments were moved—

I. Section at A. dele "First" and insert "Second."

XIII. Section at B. add "and also touching the award and return of any Jury Process for trials at Nisi Prius."

The amendments being twice read, and the question severally put thereon they were agreed to by the House, and ordered to be engrossed.

The Bill with the amendments were then read a third time and passed.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon return the Bill to the Council and acquaint them that the House have agreed thereto, and request their concurrence to the amendments.

Read as engrossed,

The Resolutions of Appropriation made and passed the 21st instant.

Ordered, That Mr. Chandler take the said Resolutions to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill, intituled "An Act to amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province."

Mr. Gilbert in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the Bill referred to them under consideration they made several amendments thereto.

When a further amendment was moved to that part of the first Section which ex-

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empts certain Articles from duty of the Manufacture of the United Kingdom, by inserting the words "Meal of all kinds."

Upon the question the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Palmer,
Allen,	Ford,
Robinson,	Hanington,
Street,	Crane,
Partelow,	Chandler.
Johnston,	
J. M. Wilmot,	
Burns,	
Taylor,	
Slason,	
Woodward,	
Weldon,	
Morehouse,	
Hayward,	
M'Leod,	
Wyer,	
Brown,	
Clinch,	
Hill,	
Freeze,	
Connell.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

Another amendment was then moved to the said first Section, which goes to the imposing of Duties, by inserting as follows:—

"Upon Leather and Malt Liquor imported from any British Possessions abroad, Five Pounds *per centum* on every one hundred pounds of the Cost thereof, at the place of the last Shipment."

When an amendment was moved to the said amendment, by striking out the word "Leather."

And upon the question the Committee again divided:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. Speaker,
Johnston,	Robinson,
End,	Crane,
Stewart,	Partelow,
Morehouse,	Burns,
Street,	Slason,
L. A. Wilmot,	Woodward,
Clinch,	Ford,
Hayward,	Brown,
Wyer,	Palmer,
Weldon,	Hill,
Taylor.	Freeze,
	Connell,
	Hanington,
	J. M. Wilmot,
	Miles,
	M'Leod.

And it was decided in the negative.

That he was then directed to report progress in the Bill and to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to regulate Tavern-keepers and Retailers, and the granting of Licences for the Sale of strong and spirituous Liquors.

Mr. Partelow in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into further consideration of the Bill referrred to them, and made several amendments thereto, and then agreed to the Bill under the Title of "A Bill to regulate Tavern keepers and Retailers."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill relating to the Navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. Robinson, from the Committee to whom was referred the Act relating to Lumber, submitted a Report which he read, and is as follows :—

"The Committee after a great deal of consideration of the subject, and examining many documents relating thereto, they have deemed it advisable not to make any alteration at present, and have therefore prepared a Bill to continue the said Act under the Title of a Bill, intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the exportation of Lumber."

"Which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. D. ROBINSON, *Chairman*,
I. WOODWARD,
JOHN P. FORD,
THOMAS WYER,
PETER STEWART,
PATRICK CLINCH,
L. A. WILMOT.

"*Committee Room, 26th February*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The Bill as reported by the Committee being then handed in, was read a first time.

Mr. Partelow, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill relative to the Free Church in the Parish of Portland.

And upon the question that the Bill be read a first time—the House divided, and it was decided in the negative.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, 27th February, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee on Public and Private Accounts reported, that they had the Accounts of the Honorable Robert Parker, while acting Attorney General, under their consideration, and submitted a Report, which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 4.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Read

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for the more easy and speedy recovery of small Debts and demands in the City of Saint John.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Robinson take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to regulate the inspection of Dry and Pickled Fish for Home consumption, and for exportation.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Robinson take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to explain an Act, intituled "An Act in addition to and in amendment of the several Acts now in force to provide for Sick and Disabled Seamen not being paupers belonging to this Province, so far as the same relate to the County of Gloucester, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. End take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill relating to the Navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a second time,

A Bill, intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the Exportation of Lumber."

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Johnston in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the business referred to them under further consideration they passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table were there again read, and are as follow:—

Resolved, That there be granted to Ebenezer Packard, the sum of twenty pounds, for keeping School for one year in the Parish of Blissfield, County of Northumberland, ending October 1832.

To Joshua Stone the sum of ten pounds, in consideration of his services in the American Revolutionary War.

To Charles Boyle, an old Soldier, who faithfully served and was wounded in His Majesty's service during the American Revolutionary War, the sum of ten pounds.

To Thomas M'Donald Beverly, the sum of twenty pounds, for teaching School in the Parish of Saint George for the year ending on the 29th day of November 1833.

Resolved, That the Petition of Henry E. Dibblee cannot be complied with.

Resolved, That the Petition of James O. Cody cannot be complied with.

That there be granted to Messrs. Ratchford and Lugrin the sum of seventeen pounds

pounds three shillings and three pence, being drawback on West India produce exported to Nova Scotia in 1832, 1833, and 1834.

To Donald M'Donald and David Bruce two very old and infirm Soldiers of His Majesty's late 42d Regiment, who served in the Revolutionary War the sum of ten pounds each, to assist them in their destitute condition.

To the managing Committee of the Baptist Education Society the sum of ——— pounds, towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton for the education of youth.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. End,
Hill,	Hanington,
Freeze,	Stewart,
L. A. Wilmot,	Weldon,
Brown,	Street,
Gilbert,	M'Leod,
Hayward,	Ford,
Miles,	Wyer,
Connell,	Clinch.
Slason,	
Morehouse,	
J. M. Wilmot,	
Burns,	
Robinson,	
Partelow,	
Allen,	
Crane,	
Chandler,	
Taylor,	
Palmer,	
Woodward.	

Whereupon it was carried in the affirmative, and the blank filled up with the sum of five hundred pounds.

That there be granted to the Trustees of the Saving's Bank of the City of Saint John, the sum of ——— pounds, to reimburse them for the embezzlement made by its late Cashier of its funds, including the claim for annual services made by him, which had not been provided for.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Ford,
Hayward,	Street,
Taylor,	Burns,
Hanington,	Slason,
Robinson,	M'Leod,
Stewart,	Brown,
Chandler,	Gilbert,
Partelow,	Clinch,
Crane,	Palmer,
Weldon,	Freeze,
Woodward,	L. A. Wilmot.
Connell,	
Miles,	
J. M. Wilmot,	
Allen,	
Morehouse,	
Wyer,	
End.	

Whereupon it was carried in the affirmative, and the blank filled up with the sum of one thousand two hundred and ninety-three pounds ten shillings and ten pence.

To the Magistrates of the County of Sunbury the sum of one hundred pounds, to assist in paying off the debt due for the erection of a Court House in that County.

And the Chairman further reported that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to a Bill, intituled

A Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the Fourth year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish and regulate a summary practice in the Supreme Court," with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the House;

and that

The Legislative Council had concurred in the amendments made by the Assembly to the Bill, intituled "An Act to provide for the more convenient administration of Justice in the Supreme Court."

On motion of Mr. End,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to search the Journals of the Legislative Council, to ascertain what proceedings have been had on a Bill, intituled

"A Bill to provide for the expences of the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly, while attending the General Assembly."

Ordered, That Mr. End be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the several Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the several Messages referred to them under their consideration, and the Committee passed several Resolutions, which he read, and are as follow:—

"*Resolved,* That the Accounts of the Commissioners of Government House be referred to the Committee on Public and Private Accounts, to report thereon to the House.

"*Resolved,* As the opinion of this Committee, that a Select Committee should be appointed to examine Government House, and to report the state of the same.

Resolved, That the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, of the 19th instant, on the subject of a Militia Court Martial, should be referred to the Committee of Supply."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Saturday, 28th February, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the business referred to them under further consideration, had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow:—

Resolved,

Resolved, That there be granted to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, the sum of three hundred and twenty seven pounds ten shillings, being the balance due them for the erection of a building on Partridge Island, for the comfort and accommodation of Emigrants; also a further sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds, to be applied for the building of a suitable residence for the Health Officer there to be stationed, the same to be taken from the Emigrant fund.

Sunbury Bye Roads.

The sum of 100*l*, for the Road from George Boon's to Ezekiel Seely's.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from William Boon's to John Woods' landing, 10*l*, of this sum to be laid out on the Causeway near G. Morrow's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Daniel Woods' to the Gary Road.

The sum of 35*l*, for the Road from the South Branch Bridge to Lemuel Nason's.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Thomas Hartt's Mills to Andrew Smith's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Andrew Smith's to Daniel Dow's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Laurence Mersereau's through the Patterson Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Jeremiah Smith's to the Nerepis Road.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Oak Point to Little River Mills.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Oak Point to the County line.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Wilmot's Farm to William Dow's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Richard Kimball's through the Shirley Settlement in rear of Burton.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Edward Burpe's to William Gordon's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Causeway near Stephen Kinney's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Isaac Coggswell's to the Nerepis Road.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the new Bridge over Rushagonish to John Morgan's.

The sum of 40*l*, from the Nerepis Road to the Oromocto; fifteen pounds of this sum to be taken from the Sunbury Bye Road grant; fifteen pounds from Queen's; and ten pounds from the St. John Bye Road grant.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of seventy-two pounds sixteen shillings, to be repaid to the Officers of the 34th Regiment for duties paid by them on Wine.

To the Magistrates of the County of Charlotte the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, to assist them in paying off the debt due by the said County for building a Gaol.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of ——— pounds, to assist in erecting a Bridge across the Meduxnakik River, in the County of Carleton.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, it was decided in the negative.

To Michael M'Nally, formerly a licensed Schoolmaster in the County of York, the sum of ——— pounds, in consideration of his losses and long services in the said capacity.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, it was decided in the negative.

To Thomas Hutchings the sum of ——— pounds, for teaching a School in the City of Saint John for the last year.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, it was decided in the negative.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief the sum of three hundred pounds, to be applied towards defraying the expence of building, equipping and fitting a good, substantial and effective Steam Boat, of not less than 30 horse power of good quality; which Steam Boat is to run at least once per Week (when practicable) between Fredericton and Woodstock, for the conveyance of the Mail, Freight and Passengers; the said sum to be paid to such person or persons as shall first build and provide said Steam Boat, and establish the same on the said route or station, whenever it shall be certified to His Excellency or Commander in Chief, by such person or persons as he may appoint for the purpose, that such Steam Boat has been built, and been running 8 Weeks on the said route or station.

To the Justices of the Peace of the County of Carleton the sum of two hundred pounds, to assist them in paying off the Debts incurred in the erection of the Court House and Gaol of that County.

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To His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the County of Gloucester the sum of one hundred pounds, for the purpose of liquidating a debt due by the said County for the erection of a Court House therein.

To the Sheriffs of the several Counties in the Province, for executing Writs of Election, and returning the Members to serve in General Assembly:

To the Sheriff of the County of York, the sum of twenty-five pounds, and the further sum of ten pounds for executing a Writ for a Member to serve in General Assembly, in the room of the late William Taylor, Esquire.

To the Sheriff of Carleton, the sum of twenty-five pounds.

To the Sheriff of Sunbury, the sum of ten pounds.

To the Sheriff of Queen's, the sum of ten pounds.

To the Sheriff of King's, the sum of twenty-five pounds.

To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, the sum of fifty pounds.

To the Sheriff of Charlotte, the sum of twenty-five pounds.

To the Sheriff of Westmorland, the sum of twenty-five pounds.

To the Sheriff of Northumberland, the sum of twenty-five pounds.

To the Sheriff of Kent, the sum of ten pounds.

To the Sheriff of Gloucester, the sum of ten pounds.

To the Hon. Judge Carter, one of the Commissioners appointed to administer the Oaths to Members returned to serve in General Assembly, the sum of thirty pounds.

To John Munsey, the sum of ——— pounds for expenses incurred by him in bringing Shipwrecked Emigrants from Magdelen Islands to Miramichi, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided, and it was decided in the negative.

That the sum of ——— pounds be granted for the Road from Gilman's Farm to the head of Oak Bay, in Saint David; which road forms a part of the Great Road establishment of the Province, leading to the United States.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution it was decided in the negative.

It was then moved that that part of the Resolution making provision for the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, for holding the Poll at that place, be reconsidered.

And upon the question the Committee divided—

Yeas 14. Nays 15.

And it was decided in the negative.

And the Chairman further reported, that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill, intituled "An Act to amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province."

Mr. Gilbert in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under further consideration they made other amendments thereto, and then agreed to the Bill under the Title of a Bill, intituled "An Act to continue and amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

Mr. Partelow, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to amend an Act, intituled "An Act to provide for Sick and Disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province."

And the Order of the House limiting the time for bringing in Bills being dispensed with,

The said Bill was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill, intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the exportation of Lumber." Mr.

Mr. Hill in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot moved the following Resolution :—

Resolved, That the Petition of James Gallagher, praying compensation for losses sustained on his Contract for repairing the Road leading from Saint John to Indian Town, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

And on the question for sustaining the same, it was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the better regulation of the Office of Sheriff in this Province.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, they made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

Monday, 2d March, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill to amend an Act, intituled "An Act to provide for sick and disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province."

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill, intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the Exportation of Lumber."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Robinson take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Fourth year of the Reign of His present Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to Establish a Summary practice in the Supreme Court."

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Street return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

Read as engrossed,

The Resolutions of Appropriation made and passed the 25th, 27th and 28th February.

Ordered, That Mr. Ford take the said Resolutions to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to regulate Tavern Keepers and Retailers, and the granting of Licenses for the sale of strong and spirituous Liquors.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Crane take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee on Public and Private Accounts, reported, that

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they had the Accounts of the Honorable the Attorney General, as also the Accounts of the expenses incurred on repairs at Government House, which were referred to them by order of the House, on the 27th February, under their consideration, and submitted a Report which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 4.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.
Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Partelow, also, from the Committee on Public and Private Accounts, to whom was referred the several Accounts laid before the House, by order of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, of the monies arising from the Sale of Town Lots in Fredericton, and the disposal thereof, reported; that they had the same under their consideration, and submitted a Report, which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 4.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.
Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr Street,
Ordered, That Mr. Partelow be added to the Committee appointed by this House, on the 25th February, to join the Committee of the Legislative Council in preparing an Address to His Majesty's Government, on the subject of the Timber Duties: and further
Ordered, That Mr. Street communicate the said additional appointment.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,
Resolved, That the House do resolve itself into Committee of the whole, on a Bill further to regulate Inns, Taverns and Houses for selling strong or spirituous Liquors.
To which it was moved as an amendment, to add the words, "this day three months."
And upon the question for adopting the amendment, it was carried in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Street,
The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill for the better regulation of the Office of Sheriff in this Province.
Mr. Robinson in the Chair of the Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.
The Chairman reported, that they had gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.
Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed as amended.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to authorize an assessment on the Inhabitants of the County of Charlotte, towards paying off the Debts due from the said County.
The Order of the House, limiting the time for bringing in Bills, being dispensed with, leave was granted.
The said Bill being brought in, was read a first and second time.

Mr. Allen, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to prevent the clandestine landing of liberated Slaves, and other persons therein mentioned, from Vessels arriving in this Province; which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,
The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the election of Charter Officers for the City of Saint John.
Mr. Chandler in the Chair of the Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.
The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, in the Committee the following Resolution was moved :—
"*Resolved,* That the further consideration of the Bill be postponed to the next Session of the General Assembly."
And

And upon the question the Committee divided, and it was carried in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to take into consideration, during the recess, the allegations stated in the Petition of the Magistrates and Inhabitants of the City and County of Saint John, relative to the alterations required to be made in the Charter of the said City, and that they report the same, together with any other suggestions on the subject, at the next Session of the Legislature.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Burns, Mr. J. M. Wilmot, Mr. Woodward, and Mr. Slason be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for establishing a Tender in all payments to be made in this Province, and for repealing all the Laws now in force relating to the same.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration they had made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuits, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province; with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

And he further informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the several Resolutions of Appropriation dated 16th February, with the following exceptions:—

To the Clerk of the Legislative Council in General Assembly, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, for the present Session.

To the Clerk Assistant of the Legislative Council, the sum of twenty shillings *per diem*, during the present Session.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, the sum of two hundred pounds, for the present Session.

To the Clerk Assistant of the House of Assembly, the sum of one hundred pounds, for the present Session.

And he was directed to communicate the following Resolution:—

"*Resolved*, That this House doth not concur in the said excepted Resolutions, because they depart from the usage which has prevailed since the appointment of the the present Clerk and Clerk Assistant of this House, to grant annually to these officers, respectively, the same allowance that is made to the Clerk and Clerk Assistant of the House of Assembly; which usage is, in the opinion of this House, founded on good reason, and is in conformity with the invariable usage in regard to the allowances of the other Officers of the respective Houses."

And he was further directed to inform the House that the Council had agreed to the several Resolutions of Appropriation, dated the 18th and 21st of February, with the following exception:—

To Adam D. Thompson, the sum of twenty pounds, for teaching a School in Saint Andrews, one year ending in 1833.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to provide for the further increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of New-Brunswick, and to amend and continue the Act for Incorporating the said Bank.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having gone into further consideration of the Bill referred to them, they had made several amendments thereto, and agreed to the Bill, under

der the Title of "A Bill to continue and amend the Act for Incorporating the Bank of New-Brunswick."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Tuesday, 3rd March, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time,

A Bill to prevent the clandestine landing of liberated Slaves, and other persons therein mentioned, from Vessels arriving in this Province.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorise an assessment on the Inhabitants of the County of Charlotte, towards paying off the Debts due from said County.

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.

Read as engrossed,

The Resolutions of Appropriation made and passed the 24th February.

Ordered, That Mr. Ford take the said Resolutions to the Council and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Clinch moved the following:—

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that he would be pleased to give directions to the Province Treasurer to grant a further term of nine months to the Administrators of Cadwallader Curry, for the payment of certain Bonds entered into by the said Cadwallader Curry, for Provincial duties, pursuant to a recommendation of a Committee of this House, providing the said Administrators give sufficient security to the Province for the whole amount of said Duties.

Upon the question for sustaining the same the House divided,

Yeas, 20. Nays, 6.

And it passed in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Clinch, Mr. Brown, and Mr. Hayward, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee to whom was referred the Casual Revenue Accounts, and those relating to the Department of Crown Lands, reported, that they had the same under consideration, and submitted a Report, which he read.

See Report in Appendix, No. 5.

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. End, the Committee appointed to search the Journals of the Legislative Council to ascertain what proceedings have been had on a Bill, intituled "A Bill to provide for the expenses of the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly, while attending the General Assembly," reported, that he had attended thereto, and received from the Clerk of the Council the following Extract:—

"*Legislative Council Chamber, Monday, 16th February,* 1835.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill to provide for the expenses of the Speaker

ker and Members of the House of Assembly, while attending the General Assembly, was read a second time, and the following Resolution was moved and seconded :—

Whereas His Majesty's Government, upon the establishment in this Province of a Legislative Council, distinct and separate from the Executive Council, in the year One thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, did express an opinion, that the Members of the Legislative Council should have their expenses paid in the same manner as the Members of the Assembly, and did accordingly recommend to both Houses the passing of a Law, providing for the attendance and expenses of the President and Members of the Legislative Council, in the same manner as for the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly, which opinion and recommendation this House thinks just and reasonable: And Whereas the House of Assembly hath not made provision for the attendance and expenses of the President and the Members of the Legislative Council, agreeably to the said recommendation of His Majesty's Government;

Therefore—*Resolved,* That the further consideration of this Bill be postponed for three months.

Upon the question whether the Resolution should pass, the House divided—

CONTENT.	NON CONTENT.
Mr. Chief Justice.	Mr. Black.
Mr. Baillie.	Mr. Shore.
Mr. F. P. Robinson.	Mr. Peters.
Mr. W. H. Robinson.	Mr. Simonds.
Mr. Botsford.	Mr. Allanshaw.
Mr. Attorney General.	
Mr. Hazen.	
Mr. Lee.	

And it passed in the affirmative.

"True Extract, "WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Select Committee be appointed to examine into the state of Government House, and that they report the same to the House.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Chandler, Mr. End, Mr. Brown, and Mr. Taylor, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That the Report of the Committee of Public and Private Accounts, relative to the Account of the Commissioners of Government House for 1834, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill intituled "An Act to continue and amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province."

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Mr. Brown moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. Robinson moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges throughout the Province.

Leave granted.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the Public Service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the business referred to them under further consideration, they passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow:—

Saint John Bye Roads.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading to Sand Point.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Blakslie's farm to Little River, for repairing or rebuilding the Bridge over the said River, and the Road over the Marsh.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Little River to Anthony's farm.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Anthony's South line to the Mills at Mispec River.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Little River to Loch Lomond.

The sum of 40*l*, for the Road from the Forks at the Loch Lomond Road near Little River to Black River, including the Bridge at the latter place.

The sum of 8*l*, for the Road from Little River leading to Mount Prospect.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Black River Road to West Beach, Cape Spence Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Emmerson's Creek to Gardner's Creek.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Gardner's Creek to the Parish line of Tynemouth 10 mile Creek.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Frog Pond to the Bridge near Cody's, Loch Lomond.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from the Fork at the Black Settlem ent Road near Cody's to Ellison's Creek in the Black River Settlement, to be expended from Slack's Mountain to the Shore.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from the Bridge near Cody's to the Black Settlement and thence to the Caledonia and Hibernia Settlements.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the rear of Cody's farm to Wilmot's.

The sum of 10*l*, from the Bridge near Cody's to the head of the first Lake.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from the Westmorland Road through the Golden Grove Settlement.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Church on the Quaco Road to Barnes' Mill, to be laid out on Quaco Road No. 1, and Barnes' Mill and Church Roads, where it is most required.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Forks of the Quaco Road near the head of the first Lake to the Parish line near Brand's farm, adjoining Cother's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Quaco to the County line near Tabor's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Parish line near Jones' to old Quaco Road.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from Smith's farm at the head of the Lake to Van Horne's.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Van Horne's farm to Quaco.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from M'Brettney's farm to Tynemouth, and from thence to Quaco.

The sum of 35*l*, from Johnston's on the old Quaco Road through the Ryan and Milligan Settlements, and to the new Shepody Road.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Tynemouth to Quaco Road.

The sum of 12*l*, for a Road passing John Howard's towards Quaco.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from New Ireland to Salmon River.

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The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Dipper Harbour to the St. Andrew's Road.

The sum of 15*l*, from Cole's mill to Craft's mill, and thence to the Irish Settlement, and from thence to Black Beach on the Shore of the Bay of Fundy.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Public Highway near Delaney's to the Kennebeckasis opposite the Brothers.

To John Bainbridge and Henry Bliss, Esquires, such sum as will procure Bills of Exchange for one hundred pounds sterling each, for their services as Agents for the Province in 1834.

To the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, the sum of one hundred and twenty-five pounds, to reimburse him for several amounts paid by him to his Clerk for extra services.

To the Hon. E. A. Botsford, one of the Supervisors of the Great Road from Saint John to the Nova Scotia line, the sum of one hundred and ten pounds, to enable him to pay the balance due for building Bridges on said Road, as appears by his report, the same to be taken from the sum appropriated for that Road this Session.

Charlotte County Bye Roads.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from M'Dowall's to Crow Harbor.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Public landing at Traynor's to the School House.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Cricket's on Le Etang River to the main Road near Justason's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Merrit's Mill to the Great Road leading from St. John to St. Andrews.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the Stannus Settlement to Sealy's Mill in rear of Lake Utopia.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Sealy's mill to the Great Road leading from St. John to St. Andrew's.

The sum 20*l*, for the Road from Philo Sealy's to Le Etang Harbour.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Milliken's at the lower Falls of Magaguadavick to Peter M'Dermot's farm.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the head of the Bason of Magaguadavick to Le Etang River.

The sum of 10*l*, for cutting down a steep hill near Abraham Wetmore's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Philo Sealy's farm to George M'Kenzie's.

The sum of 17*l*, 10*s*, for the Bridge at the lower Falls of Magaguadavick.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Forks of Magaguadavick to the Flume Ridge.

The sum of 45*l*, for the Road from Saint Paul's Church to Seal Cove Bridge, Grandmanan.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from Saint Paul's Church to the School House at Winchester's, Grandmanan.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Lord's Cove along the North west side of the Mountain, to cross the Northwest Harbour Stream on Deer Island, in the Parish of West Isles.

The sum of 50*l*, for the Road from Chamcook Settlement to the Road near Leonard Bartlett's at Waweig, Parish of Saint Andrews.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Road leading from Saint Stephen to Chamcook Lake, to go between Lots 49 and 50 in the Parish of Saint Andrews.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Bridge at Morrison's Gate on the road in the rear of Tuft's field, to meet the road leading to the Poor House, Parish of Saint Andrews.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Poor House to Daniel Grant's farm in Saint Andrews.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the main Road leading to Saint John, on the Road leading to Chamcook Island in the Parish of Saint Andrews.

The sum of 40*l*, to open a new Road from Bocabec Bridge in Saint Patrick to Garcelon's Mill in Saint David.

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The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from John Cottrell's in Saint David, towards the Rolling Dam in Saint Patrick.

The sum of 56*l*, for the Road from the Head of Oak Bay to Tower's corner in Saint David.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Church in Saint David to Samuel Thomas's dwelling House.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the main road in Saint David towards John Wilson, Junr.'s farm.

The sum of 15*l*, to assist in building a Bridge over the Mill Stream below Moore's Lake in Saint David.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from James M'Laughlan's in Saint David's to Loran Wade's.

The sum of 20*l*, to repair the Stillwater Bridge over the Digdeguash River in the Parish of Saint Patrick.

The sum of 10*l*, to repair the Bridges between Whittier's and M'Kaskle's in Saint Patrick.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Whittier's towards the Rolling Dam in Saint Patrick.

The sum of 8*l*, for the Road from the Rolling Dam to Turner's Ridge in Saint Patrick.

The sum of 12*l*, to build a Bridge across the stream between Murphy's Ridge and pleasant Ridge in the Parish of Saint Patrick.

The sum of 12*l*, to open the Road from the Irish Settlement on the Western side of the Digdeguash River towards the Rolling Dam in the Parish of Saint Patrick.

The sum of 12*l*, to assist in building a Bridge over the Digdeguash at Connick's Dam in Saint Patrick.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Simonds's in Saint James's toward's Nisbett's in Saint David.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Tower's corner in Saint David to George Foster's farm.

The sum of 17*l*, for the Road from James Stuart, Senr.'s farm in Saint Patrick, towards John Mann's at the mouth of the River Magaguadavick.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the late Alexander Sinclair's to Hitchings's Mill in St. James.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the late Alexander Sinclair's across the upper Bridge to the Road leading to Hitchings's Mill in St. James.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Hitchings's Mill to the little Ridge in St. James.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Chiputnecticook Ridge to Daniel Campbell's in St. James.

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from the Ledge to Porter's Mill Stream in St. Stephen, and thence back to the St. David's line.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Public landing in St. Stephen over the old Ridge to the St. David's line.

The sum of 31*l*, for the Road from Samuel Crabtrees's in St. Stephen to Hitching's Mill in St. James.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Cheputnecticook to the Basswood Ridge and thence to Oak Hill in St. James.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Peake's to Ewart's Bridge towards the Baillie Settlement in St. James.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Oak Hill to the Lynnfield Settlement in St. James.

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from Oak Hill to the Road leading from St. David to St. Stephen.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Milltown to the little Ridge in St. James.

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from Milltown to Sprague's Falls in Saint Stephen.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Kirk to the Pomeroy Ridge in St. James.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Pomeroy's farm to the little Ridge in St. James.

The sum of 16*l*, 10*s*, for the new Road from the long Bridge to the line of St. David's Parish.

To the Commissioners of Light Houses at the entrance of the Harbour of Saint John, a sum not exceeding two hundred pounds, in addition to the appropriation already made, to be applied towards the reparation of the said Light Houses and other contingencies, the same to be taken from the Light House fund.

Carleton County Bye Roads.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Elihu Cogswell's to the Newburgh Settlement.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Daniel Shaw's to the Begaguimick, to be expended in erecting a Bridge across the deep Creek.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from Orser's at the mouth of the Begaguimick to the Cold Stream to be laid out on the South or lower side of the Begaguimick.

The sum of 30*l*, to aid individual subscription in erecting a Bridge across the Begaguimick at the Cold Stream.

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from the mouth of the Cold Stream towards the upper part of the Settlement on the said Stream.

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from Stephen Thomas's to James Clarke's in the Begaguimick Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, from James Clarke's to the rear of the Settlement.

The sum of 40*l*, for the Road from Patchell's at the Woodstock Ferry to Daniel Shaw's.

The sum of 10*l*, for improving the Road on the Portage at the landing of the Great Falls.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Benjamin Tibbetts's to the Restook Falls.

The sum of 10*l*, to open and improve a Road from the eight mile Tree on the Restook Portage to the River Saint John.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Ballard's at the mouth of the Restook to the Falls of the same along the South Bank.

The sum of 10*l*, to open and improve a Road to the Wright Settlement in the rear of William M'Dougald's from thence to the Bank of the River Saint John.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Salmon River to William Johnston's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Tobique River to Peters's farm in Perth, part of which to be expended in completing the repairs of the Bridge at Murphy's Creek.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Peters's farm to the Munick Creek, part of which to be expended in repairing the Bridge across that Creek.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Thomas Gee's to a back Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Peres Smith's to a back Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Thomas Romphrey's to a back Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Andrew M'Cain's upper line in the Greenfield Settlement to the Great Road on the Bank of the River Saint John.

The sum of 10*l*, for improving a Road from the Bye Road in Kent to a back Settlement called Cox Town.

The sum of 10*l*, for improving a Road from Christopher Craig's to a back Settlement on the Munquat.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the Munick Creek to John Porter's farm in the Parish of Kent.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from James M'Laughlin's to the Falls on the North Branch of the Meduxnikic.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Peabody's Mills on the Meduxnikic towards the American line through the settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Pages' to Mallorey's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from William Mallorey's to Charles Boyer's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Charles Palmer's to the little Presqu' Isle.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from William Lindsey's to the Forks of the Meduxnikick.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Payson's Mill to William Lindsy's.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road from Beverly Esty's to Payson's Mill. The

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from Willer Chapman's through the Moodie and Risteen Farms.

The sum of 5*l*, for the road from James M'Graw's to Willer Chapman's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Alexander Lindsey's to James M'Laughlin's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Henry Sharp's to Wilson's on the Meduxnikick.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from James Yorke's to the Little Presqu' Isle.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road from George Wilson's towards Richard Martin's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Main Road near Boyer's Mill to Thomas Rideout's on the Road leading to the Presqu' Isle Settlement.

The sum of 18*l*, for the Road from Thomas Rideout's to Burpe's on the Presqu' Isle.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road from Joseph Stewart's to Joseph Green's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Jacob Estabrooks' to the Williamstown Settlement, part to be expended in erecting a Bridge across the Little Presque' Isle.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Richmond Corner to Peabody's Mills on the Maduxnikick.

The sum of 12*l*, From Elijah Marsh's to the Richmond Road, through the Irish Settlement.

The sum of 12*l*, for the Road from Andrew Blair's to Green's Lake.

The sum of 7*l*, for the Road from James M'Indoe's to the Meduxnikick.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Andrew Blair's to the Richmond Corner.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Judge Beardsley's to a back Settlement.

The sum of 35*l*, for the Road from Eel River to Fraser's Farm in Woodstock.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Great Road of communication to a back Settlement, to be laid out on the lower side of the Glebe Lot in Woodstock.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Robert M'Lennan's to George Hillman's in a back Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Beardsley's, Senior, to a back Settlement.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Colonel Ketchum's Store in Woodstock, to open a new line of Road towards Henry Sharp's to the Jackson Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from William Fleming's to Robert Henderson's.

That there be granted to James M'Clellan, a licensed Teacher, the sum of thirteen pounds six shillings and eight-pence, to compensate him for teaching a School in the Parish of Sackville, County of Westmorland, for eight Months, ending in March, 1831.

Queen's County Bye Roads.

The sum of 25*l*, for a Bridge over the Newcastle Stream, near the upper Mills.

The sum of 100*l*, for the Road between Stephen Thorn's and the Newcastle Mills.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the Newcastle Mills to the Grand Lake.

The sum of 40*l*, for a Bridge over the Stream near M'Donald's Tavern, on the Road leading from the head of the Grand Lake to the Salmon River Mills.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Lewis' Cove to the main Post Road by way of Foster's Mill.

The sum of 40*l*, for the Road leading from the Cross road to the Shanahan Settlement on the South East side of the Washademoak Lake to Lewis' Cove.

The sum of 15*l*, for a new Road on the South East side of the Grand Lake, from Sands' Creek to James Ralston's Lower Line.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Young's Cove to Cumberland Creek Bridge.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Cox's Point to Coal Creek, leading over a Slough near Cox's Point.

The sum of 15*l*, for repairing the Bridge over Foster's Mill Stream, so called, near Cox's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Slip's Brook to Rouse's Cove.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Rouse's Cove to Washademoak Lake.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Cross Road between Vanwart's Mill and the Rush Hill settlement, and a road leading from said Cross road to Samuel London's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from King's County Line, including the Cross Road, to the line between Robert Golding's and John Murdock's.

The

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading from the upper end of the Waterloo Settlement to the Water between Thomas Hamm's and John Harden's, Junior.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Alexander Clark's Mill to a short distance below Carpenter's Ferry.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading from the Washademoak Lake to James Ralston's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Wiggins' Mill at the head of Young's Cove to James Sharpe's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Young's Cove to Cumberland Bay.

The sum of 10*l*, for a Road leading from the Highway road to Robert Orchard's in rear of William White's.

The sum of 10*l*, for a Road from Washademoak Lake to Clark's Mill.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Ebenezer Perrys' on the Washademoak to Shearer's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Samuel Seacord's to King's County Line by the way of Tinling's and Cain's Mills.

The sum of 60*l*, for completing the Bridge and Causeway at Little River.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Henry Lyon's on the Nerepis to the Great Road near Gabriel Fowler's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Summer Hill Settlement to the Jerusalem Settlement, by the way of Samuel Corbitt's and Vallice's Farm.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Jerusalem Settlement to King's County Line near Paisley's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road leading from John Sanburn's Mill to William Burgess' Corner and to the Jerusalem Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Ocnabog Bridge to Tyngs' Brook.

The sum of 35*l*, for the Road from Jones' Mill to Ann Vanwart's.

The sum of 40*l*, for the Road leading from the Ferry near the King's Head Tavern along the lower line of the Spry Grant to the Gage Town road.

That there be granted to John Snell, Keeper of the Light House at Head Harbour, on the Island of Campo Bello, the sum of twenty-five pounds, to reimburse him for expenses incurred by him for surgical and medical attendance, and for paying the passage of one Henry Mably to England, who lost his eye sight, and was otherwise maimed and disabled, by the accidental explosion of a charge of Gunpowder, while working at the said Light House, to be paid out of the Light House Fund.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, for compiling and preparing Index of Journals of the Houses of Assembly from 1824 to1833, inclusive, being 10 years, at twenty-five pounds per each year.

To Jane Danforth, a licensed Teacher in Carleton, within the City of Saint John, the sum of ten pounds, for her services in the year 1834.

To John Barrett, a licensed Teacher, the sum of twenty pounds, to compensate him for teaching a School in the New Ireland Settlement, in the County of Westmorland, for one year ending in 1834.

To John Simpson, King's Printer, the sum of fifty pounds, towards printing the Laws for 1835.

To B. C. Chaloner, Guager, of Saint John, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds towards his Account for Guaging and Weighing in 1834.

To James Holbrook, the sum of thirty-five pounds, to remunerate him for his services in arranging and digesting the Returns made under the Act passed at the last Session, for taking an account of the Population of this Province.

To the Commissioners of Government House, the sum of one hundred and sixty-five pounds four shillings and nine-pence, to enable them to pay Messrs. James Taylor, Senior, & Co. the amount of their Account for 1834.

To George G. Gilbert, the sum of thirty-six pounds seven shillings and eleven-pence, being balance due G. G. Gilbert and Allan Otty, Commissioners for the Saint John Marsh Road, in 1829, per Report of Committee, 28th February, 1834. Also, the sum of sixty-seven pounds ten shillings, being the amount for the Purchase of Land and Mud Fence, to enable said Commissioners to widen the road, to be taken from the Great Road appropriations of this year for Saint John Great Marsh. To

To John Gregory, Clerk Assistant to the Legislative Council, for preparing an extra copy of the Acts passed at the last Session of the General Assembly, and published for the use of the Magistrates in the Province, the sum of ten pounds.

To Mrs. Susannah Guimarian, the sum of five pounds, for teaching a School in the Parish of Sheffield, for six months ending in October, 1834.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of forty-five pounds nine shillings and three-pence, for expenses incurred in holding a Court Martial in August last.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Speaker,
Ford,	Burns,
Morehouse,	Connell,
Stewart,	Miles,
Allen,	Clinch,
End,	Brown,
Weldon,	Palmer,
Partelow,	Freeze,
Street,	Hill,
Chandler,	Gilbert,
J. M. Wilmot,	Woodward,
Slason,	Hanington.
Robinson,	
Wyer,	
Johnston,	
L. A. Wilmot,	
Taylor,	
M'Leod.	

Whereupon it was carried in the affirmative.

It was then moved that the Blank be filled up with the sum of forty-five pounds nine shillings and three-pence.

And on this question the Committee again divided, when it was likewise carried in the affirmative.

To the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the sum of ——— pounds for the present Session, and to each and every Member of the House of Assembly, for defraying the expenses of attendance in General Assembly, the sum of ——— pounds; and for travelling charges of each and every Member the sum of ——— Shillings per day, allowing twenty Miles for each day's travel, to be certified by the Speaker.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. Johnston,
Hanington,	Weldon,
Morehouse,	Ford,
Stewart,	End,
Street,	Crane,
Partelow,	Chandler,
J. M. Wilmot,	Slason.
Burns,	
Taylor,	
Woodward,	
Robinson,	
Connell,	
Miles,	
M'Leod,	
Clinch,	
Gilbert,	
Wyer,	
Brown,	
Freeze,	
L. A. Wilmot,	
Palmer,	
Hill.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

Upon the question for filling up the first blank with one hundred pounds, the Committee again divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Hanington,	Mr. Allen,
Street,	Ford,
Partelow,	Stewart,
J. M. Wilmot,	End,
Taylor,	Crane,
Connell,	Chandler,
Miles,	Weldon,
Robinson,	Burns,
Clinch,	Slason,
Woodward.	M'Leod,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	Wyer,
	Brown,
	Freeze,
	Hill,
	Palmer,
	Gilbert,
	Morehouse,
	Johnston.

And it was decided in the negative.

The question was then taken to fill up the blank with one hundred and fifty pounds, when the Committee again divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Burns,	Mr. Woodward,
Slason,	Clinch,
M'Leod,	Robinson,
L. A. Wilmot,	Miles,
Wyer,	Connell,
Brown,	Taylor,
Freeze,	J. M. Wilmot,
Palmer,	Weldon,
Gilbert,	Partelow,
Hill,	Street,
Allen,	Chandler,
Morehouse,	End,
Stewart.	Ford,
	Crane,
	Johnston,
	Hanington.

And it was also decided in the negative.

It was then moved that the question for filling up the said first blank with one hundred pounds be reconsidered,

Whereupon the Committee again divided—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Morehouse,	Mr. Johnston,
Hanington,	Allen,
Street,	Crane,
Partelow,	Ford,
J. M. Wilmot,	Stewart,
Taylor,	End,
Slason,	Chandler,
Connell,	Weldon,
Miles,	Burns.
M'Leod,	
Clinch,	
Robinson,	
L. A. Wilmot,	
Wyer,	
Brown,	
Woodward,	
Hill,	
Freeze,	
Gilbert,	
Palmer.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

When the question was again taken for filling up the said blank with one hundred pounds,

And it was likewise carried in the affirmative, and the two other blanks respectively filled up with thirty pounds, and fifteen shillings.

And the Chairman further reported, that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Resolutions engrossed, and leave to sit again granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the Bill, intituled

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester," without any amendment.

And he was directed to communicate the following:—

"*Legislative Council Chamber, 2d March,* 1835.

"*Resolved,* That the interests of this Province are deeply involved in the question now in dispute between His Majesty and the United States of America, relating to the Boundary between the British Territories in North America and the said United States.

"*Resolved,* That this House has the fullest confidence in the determination of His Majesty's Government to maintain His Majesty's rights, and preserve the integrity of these His North American Dominions in the settlement of this most important question.

"*Resolved,* That a speedy settlement thereof is earnestly to be desired, as well for the quiet and welfare of the Inhabitants of those parts of His Majesty's possessions which are claimed by the United States, as for the general benefit and advancement of this Province.

"*Resolved,* That this House will join the House of Assembly in an humble and dutiful Address to His Majesty, laying the substance of the foregoing Resolutions at the foot of the Throne.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 4th March, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Resolved, That a Committee of this House be appointed to join such Committee as the Legislative Council may appoint, for the purpose of preparing an Address to His Majesty on the subject of the Northeastern Boundary of the United States.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot and Mr. Partelow be a Committee for that purpose ; and further

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot communicate the same to the Council.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue and amend the Act for Incorporating the Bank of New.Brunswick.

Whereupon an engrossed clause was offered to be added to the Bill, by way of Ryder, and to stand as part of the V Section thereof, and the same being thrice read, and the question put therenpon, it was agreed to by the House to be made part of the Bill, by way of Ryder.

Resolved, That the Bill with the Ryder do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow take the same to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Resolved, That a Committee of this House be appointed to ascertain, during the recess, the practicability and expediency of connecting the waters of the River Saint John and Gage Town Creek, by means of a Canal at or near Grimross Neck; also the best line for the said Canal, and the probable Cost of completing the same, and to report thereon to this House at the next Session of the Legislature.

Ordered, That Mr. Johnston, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Hayward, and Mr. J. M. Wilmot, be a Committee for that purpose; and further

Ordered, That the said Committee have permission to request Samuel Scovil and Charles Harrison, Esquires, late Members of this House, to associate themselves with them.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of Supplies to be granted for the public service.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the business referred to them under further consideration, had passed a number of Resolutions, which he read, and they being handed in at the Clerk's Table, were there again read, and are as follow :—

Resolved, That there be granted to the Clerk of the Legislative Council, and to the Clerk of the House of Assembly, the sum of —— pounds each, for the present Session.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Weldon,	Mr. Speaker,
End.	Robinson,
	Freeze,
	Hill,
	Clinch,
	Brown,
	Gilbert,
	Palmer,
	M'Leod,
	Miles,
	Slason,
	Burns,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	J. M. Wilmot,
	Taylor,
	Morehouse,
	Connell,
	Johnston,
	Partelow,
	Street,
	Stewart,
	Chandler,
	Crane,
	Ford,
	Allen,
	Hanington,
	Woodward.

And it was decided in the negative.

That there be granted to Doctor John Boyd, Surgeon to the Vaccine Institution, at the Central Board in the City of Saint John, for the year 1834, the sum of twenty pounds.

To John Simpson, King's Printer, the sum of five hundred pounds, on account of his claims against the Province for printing.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of seventeen pounds seventeen shillings and eight pence, to reimburse the Ordnance Department, Saint John, for expenses incurred in 1833, for the repairs of twenty Tents on Partridge Island, issued from the King's Stores, for the accommodation of Emigrants, and by them damaged.

Whereas, from the extensive Commercial relations between the North Eastern part of this Province, and the Province of Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island, it is desirable to facilitate the Water communication between those places; Therefore

Resolved, That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the annual sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, for the next four years, to be paid to any person or persons, who shall establish a Steam Boat communication of not less than seventy Horse Power, between Miramichi and Pictou, Nova Scotia, and Charlotte Town, Prince Edward Island, the said Boat to run not less than once a fortnight, (when not prevented by stress of weather or other unforeseen accidents,) for the next five years, say between the months of May and November, in each year, during the said period, touching at Miramichi each trip; the sum to be paid annually by Warrant of the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, for the time being, on the Province Treasurer, on the production of a Certificate from the Collector of the Customs at Miramichi, that the said Boat has entered and cleared as far as practicable (consistent with stress of weather and other accidents) once a fortnight, during the season for which such Certificate is given, between the periods above mentioned; and upon condition that good and approved security be given to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander

Commander in Chief for the time being, prior to the payment of the first annual sum, that the said Boat shall be continued on that line, running once a fortnight between the above named periods, for the term of five years, from the first day of June next, which security, when given, shall be lodged in the Secretary's Office of the Province.

That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, a sum not exceeding one hundred pounds, for the repair and finishing of that part of the Province Hall appropriated for the use of the Supreme Court.

That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of ——— pounds, to provide for the erection of a new Council Chamber, and a fire proof Library, according to plans and specifications to be approved of by a Joint Committee of the Council and House of Assembly.

On the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee divided,

Yeas, 3. Nays, 21.

And it was decided in the negative.

That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, the sum of six hundred pounds, towards defraying the expence of a Revised Edition of the Laws of the Province, to consist of not less than 400 copies, for the use of the Legislature and Magistrates throughout the Province.

King's County Bye Roads.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Neck Road from near Seeley's Point to James White's in Kingston.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Bates' Mills, through the Midland, to the Neck Road near M'Williams'.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Neck Road, through the Midland, towards the head of Milkish Creek.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Justice Wetmore's Mill to Benjamin B. Crawford's, Esq.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Kingston Road to Gorum's Bluff.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from James Cosburn's to the Road leading from Bates' to Boswick's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Settlement of John Trott and others, to the Yorkshire Road.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the Yorkshire Road to Timothy Flannagan's, one half of said sum to be expended between the Widow Lynch's and Bicket's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Andrew Hamilton's to the County Line near Paisley's, on the Road to Short's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Thomas Wallis' to the Parish Line on the Road towards Brittain's Mills.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Settlement of John Crabb and others, in rear of Greenwich Hill to the Shore.

The sum of 39*l* 9*s*, to Thomas Richards and Thomas Flewelling, being a balance due them for building a Bridge over the Stream near Richards'.

The sum of 40*l*, towards building a bridge over the Creek near Greenwich Hill.

The sum of 5*l* 11*s*, to improve the Public Landing, and the Road thence towards Grant's, near Zebulon Johns'

The sum of 10*l*, for the Roads from Pickett's Mills to Bellisle Bay.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the West Scotch Settlement to the Bellisle Bay, near the old Church.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road leading from John Henderson's and others, to the Main Road, leading from the Scotch Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading to the East Scotch Settlement, leaving the Great Road near the Scotch Church to Thomas Shearer's.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road leading from the Bellisle and Mill Stream Road, to Redstone's Mill in the Irish Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Redstone's Mill to Alexander Burnett's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road leading from the main Road near Samuel Raymond's to Ely Northrop's and others.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Waddle's Mill to James White's in Kingston.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Moses Innes' to the Widow Matthis'.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Widow Matthis' to Barnes', near the Little River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from William Connors' to the River, by way of M'Vay's Saw Mill.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the main Road near Caleb Wetmore's to Nicholson's Cove.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Wright's to the main Road, near Gondola Point Church.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Bates' Mill Pond to the main Road, leading from Gondola Point Ferry.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Wards' Creek Road, near John Fryer's, to the cross Road near Joseph Killin's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from John Hallet's to the head of the Settlement on Trout Creek.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from William Price's, on the old Cumberland Road, to Thomas Herriott's.

The sum of 20*l*, to aid in building a Bridge across Trout Creek, on the Road between the main Road and Mr. Evanson's.

The sum of 10*l*, for building a Bridge near George Robinson's, Senior, on the Road from John Barnes' towards Loch Lomond.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Barnes' farm to Titus'.

The sum of 25*l*, for improving the Shepody Road from Nethery's to M'Laughlin's.

The sum of 15*l*, to assist in building a Bridge over the Hammond River at Salmon Hole, on the Road to Fletcher's Settlement.

The sum of 5*l*, to assist in rebuilding the Bridge near Andrew Sherwood's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Alex. Henderson's to the Road leading from Joseph Barnes' Mill to Loch Lomond.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Lot granted to Alex. Henderson, across the River, to the School House, near Tweedale's, on the north side.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Thomas Saunders' to the new Road, by the Bridge over Hammond River.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road leading from the Shepody Road to James Campbell's, Senior, on the south side.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Ezekiel Foster's to Abel English's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Gershom Kiersted's to Alexander Kennedy's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Ezekiel Foster's, through the English Settlement, to the Queen's County Line.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Samuel Carson's to Charles Gailey's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Gidney's Brook to Musaquash, below Ellison's on the new Road.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Bellisle to the Settlement of Sprague, Henderson and others.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Little's to Abraham Parlee's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Richard Jordan's to the cross Road below William Marr's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from James Smith's Mill to Andrew Bull's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Gillies' to the Great Road near Burnett's, Kennebackasis.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Isaiah Kiersted's to James Gonong's, Kingston.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from John Sherwood's to Robert Marshal's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Noah Tabor's to David Faulkner's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Daniel Campbell's to John M'Monagle's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Henry Piers' to Peters' Mill.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Crawford's to Chapman's Mill.

The

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Walker's, on the old Cumberland Road, to the Burying Ground, Sussex, one half of said sum for a Bridge near Nicholas Roache's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Deforest's Lake to Sidney Baxter's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Hayward's Mill to the Settlement of Thomas Stableford and others.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Crawford's Mill Brook to Matthew Smith's, in the Irish Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Peter King's to the Maxwell Road.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from near Eli Yeaman's to Corey's Farm, in Hampton.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Gilbert Stockton's to William Beech's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from James Nowlan's to Ryan's Mill.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the Midland Settlement, Kingston, to near Seely's, Kennebackasis.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from the Lower Line of Sussex to William Baxter's, Norton.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the Widow Spence's to the Patticake.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from near Gilead Secord's to the Settlement of Caleb Spragg and others.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Deforest's Lake to Tweedale's Brook, through the Salt Spring Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Beech's to Butternut Ridge.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from near Sherwood's old Mill to Colpitt's, and thence to the Main Road near Hay's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road leading South Westward from Benjamin White's, in Kingston.

The sum of 5*l*, for the Road from William Giggy's to Stephen Cronk's and others.

That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of one hundred pounds, to be expended in the removal of Rocks in the Maductic Falls and Betts' Rapids in the River Saint John.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of one hundred pounds, to be expended in improving the Towing paths from Fredericton to the Great Falls in the River Saint John.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of one hundred pounds, for blowing rocks in the Magaguadavick River below the Forks, so called.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, to be expended by such person or persons as he may appoint, towards erecting a free School in the Parish of Portland, this grant being in lieu of a former grant made this Session for the like service.

On the question for sustaining the Resolution, the Committee divided—

Yeas 17. Nays 10.

And it was carried in the affirmative.

That there be granted to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor the sum of fifty pounds, to be expended in exploring a line of Road from Boice's, on the Miramichi River to Woodstock.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief the sum of twenty pounds, for a Tide Waiter at Bathurst, and the further sum of twenty pounds for a Tide Waiter at Restigouche, in the County of Gloucester.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, the sum of twenty pounds, for exploring a line of Road from Salmon River to Richibucto River.

To His Majesty's Attorney General, and the Clerk of the Crown in the Supreme Court the sum of ——— pounds each, for their services the past year.

Upon the question for sustaining the Resolution, the Committee divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. L. A. Wilmot,
Allen,	Hill,
Stewart,	Palmer,
Woodward,	Brown,
Ford,	Gilbert,
End,	Morehouse,
Street,	Miles,
Weldon,	Connell,
Crane,	Burns,
Partelow,	Hanington.
Robinson,	
Chandler,	
Slason,	
Taylor,	
J. M. Wilmot,	
M'Leod,	
Wyer,	
Clinch,	
Freeze.	

And it was passed in the affirmative, and the blank then filled up with the sum of one hundred pounds.

York County Bye Roads.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Eel River to J. R. Patterson's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Abraham Estey's to Shugomock.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Abraham Estey's to the Howard Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Shugomock to Poquiock.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Poquiock to the late Chief Justice's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from the late Chief Justice's to the Church.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from the Church to W. Davidson's across Whitehead's Gully.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road from Kelly's Creek to Long's Creek.

The sum of 30*l*, for the Road along West's line to the Poquiock Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, to open a Road through the Poquiock Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from John Gray's to Lake George.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Lake George to Wm. Lockhart's, Magundy.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Wm. Lockhart's to the Magaguadavic Ridge.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road from the new School House, Magundy, to William Henry's front.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road from Nicholas Barker's to James Scott's.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road from Hawke's upper line to Thomas Welsh's.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road from Lawrence Grant's, Southampton, to the Campbell Settlement.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road leading to Farnham's upper Caverhill Settlement.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Hazleton's to Andrew Oliver's, lower Caverhill Settlement.

The sum of 25*l*, for the Road from the lower end of Great Bear Island to George Stewart's Scotch Lake.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from George Stewart's to Adam Jackson's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Alexander Mitchell's to Jas. Hagerman's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from James Hagerman's to the River Saint John.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Christy's to Burt's Mill's.

The sum of 15*l*, towards erecting a Bridge across Jones' Mill Stream, Keswick.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Jones' Mill to Cardigan.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road from Wm. Estey's to Gould Burtt's.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road from Mauseroll's Creek to the lower line of the Parish of Queensbury.

The

The sum of 15*l*, towards opening a Road from the Bird Settlement to Jouett's Mill's.

The sum of 15*l*, for the Road from Aaron Estey's through the King Settlement.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road from Andrew Davidson's, Cardigan, to the Hurlet Settlement.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Cardigan to a new Settlement in the rear of William Griffith's.

The sum of 10*l*, for the Road from Cardigan to a new Settlement in the rear of William Hawkes'.

The sum of 10*l*, to erect a Bridge and improve the Hill at Kirk's Brook.

The sum of 30*l*, to erect a Bridge across the Penniock.

The sum of 35*l*, for the Road on the Eastern side of the Nashwaak, from the Ferry towards Smith's Mills.

The sum of 20*l*, for the Road leading from the School House in the new Maryland Settlement to the County line.

The sum of 7*l* 10*s*, for the Road leading to Andrew Little's.

The sum of 60*l*, towards erecting a Bridge across the Stream at the entrance of the new Maryland Settlement.

The sum of 60*l*, towards erecting a Bridge across the Madamkeswick Stream.

The sum of 27*l* 10*s*, towards remunerating Daniel Jewett for erecting a Bridge across the Mactiquack.

That the sum of forty pounds, granted in 1824 and received in 1825 by George West, Esquire, the Commissioner for repairing the Bridge across Long's Creek in the County of York, be reappropriated, and expended in erecting a Bridge over Kelly's Creek in the same County, the above sum having been paid back into the Treasury by the said Commissioner.

That the sum of thirty-five pounds, granted in 1833 to be expended in building a Bridge across Sterling's Creek in the Parish of Saint Mary be reappropriated, and expended in improving the back Road in the same Parish from the Ferry to the County line.

That the sum of forty pounds, granted in 1826 and paid in 1828, to improve the Road from Kelly's Creek to Long's Creek be reappropriated, and expended by the Commissioner in improving the Road from Gillman's Mills to the Yoho Lake in the Parish of Kingsclear.

That the sum of twenty-five pounds, granted in 1831 to open a Road between the Cardigan and the South west branch of the Miramichi be reappropriated, and expended in improving the Road from William John's in Cardigan, to the South Branch of the Tay.

That there be granted to the Clerk of the House of Assembly the sum of ——— pounds, for the contingent expenses of the present Session of the Legislature.

And the Chairman further reported, that the Committee having finished the business referred to them, it was

Resolved, That the Committee do now rise.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Resolutions engrossed.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to repeal all the Laws now in force, for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways, in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provisions for the same: and

A Bill to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City; with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

And also to a Bill, intituled

A Bill relating to the Navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy, without any amendment.

On motion of Mr. End,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that he may be pleased to order a revision of the Laws of the Province with suitable Index, and that an Edition of not less than four hundred Copies be published for Public uses.

Ordered, That Mr. End, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, and Mr. Brown, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

Thursday, 5th March, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Whereas it appears by the Report on the Accounts of the late Attorney General, that Judgment was obtained in 1823, against John Lockhart, for £28 18 11, in 1824; against William Chipman and John M'Leod for £62 11 0, and Gilbert Ormsley and William Morehouse for £303 11 1, in all which the Interest and Costs were included up to the respective times mentioned; and whereas some of the parties on the said Bonds subsequently to preceedings having been taken went to Nova Scotia, without making payment, and it appears exemplifications of the said Judgments were sent to the late Attorney General Uniacke there in 1824, by the then Attorney General of this Province, for recovery, but no credit appears in the Books of the latter for any part of the amount, neither can it be discovered therefrom what steps were taken in the matter by the said late Attorney General of Nova Scotia; and whereas, from other documents before this House, it is ascertained that the amount of one of the Judgments (£62 11 0) was recovered by the Attorney General of Nova Scotia, yet it is not known whether it was paid over by him to the late Attorney General Wetmore, and it is therefore considered highly desirable that information should be obtained regarding this, as well as the other Judgments alluded to; therefore

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will communicate with the Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia on the subject, in the hope thereby that such information will be obtained from the Heirs, Executors or Administrators of the late Attorney General of Nova Scotia and his Successor in office, both with regard to the amount of £62 11 0 recovered as aforesaid, and the other two Judgments, as the House consider necessary.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Robinson, and Mr. Palmer, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

The Order of the House limiting the time for introducing Petitions being dispensed with.

Mr. Freeze, by leave, presented a Petition from David Johnston and 140 others, Inhabitants of King's County, praying an Act may pass authorizing a Bridge to be erected over the Kennebeccacis River, in the Parish of Norton, in the said County, and to establish a Toll to be taken thereat; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. M'Leod, by leave, presented a Petition from Justus S. Wetmore, and James Whitney, owners of Land above the Hampton Ferry in King's County, praying an Act may pass authorizing them to build a Bridge at that place, and establishing Tolls to be taken thereat; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from James Hendricks, and 105 others, of the City and County of Saint John, praying an Act may pass authorizing the erection of a Bridge across the Kennebeccasis River above Hampton Ferry, and establishing Tolls to be taken thereat; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr.

Mr. Clinch, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with an Address, praying that His Excellency would be pleased to give directions to the Province Treasurer to allow a further term of nine months to the Administrators of the Estate of Cadwallader Curry, for the payment of certain Bonds entered into by the said Cadwallader Curry, reported, that they had attended thereto, and His Excellency was pleased to say that he would give directions to the Treasurer accordingly.

Mr. Freeze moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to Incorporate the *Norton Bridge Company*.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Whereas in making annual Bye Road appropriations for the respective Counties, it is desirable that every possible information should be afforded to the House and the Road Committee upon the state and extent of the Bye Roads of each County, in order that a just and equitable distribution of the monies to be hereafter granted for that purpose may take place; therefore

Resolved, That in future the Members of the respective Counties shall be required to lay before the House of Assembly a particular and correct statement of the Bye Roads of their respective Counties for which they are desirous of obtaining Legislative aid, setting forth the extent of each Road and the general state thereof, the number and width of the Bridges to be built thereon, and the probable cost thereof, and the Parish in which the respective Roads are situate: and further that in future no Bye Road appropriations will be made for any Road for which the above information be not furnished.

To which it was moved as an amendment,

To strike out all after the word "*Resolved*" and insert

"That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to direct the Clerks of the Peace in the several Counties in this Province to make a return of all the Bye Roads recorded with them, their state and extent, and the Statute Labor performed on each for the information of this House; and further

Resolved, That in future no appropriation will be made for any Bye Road not regularly recorded."

When Mr. Partelow moved the previous question—

That the question on the original Resolution be now put.

Whereupon the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Burns,
Taylor,	Hayward,
Street,	Chandler,
Slason,	Stewart,
Morehouse,	Ford,
M'Leod,	Weldon,
Johnston,	Partelow,
Brown,	Connell,
Clinch,	Miles,
Freeze,	Palmer,
Hill.	J. M. Wilmot,
	Gilbert,
	Wyer,
	Brown,
	Clinch,
	L. A. Wilmot.

And it was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

"*Resolved*,

"*Resolved*, That two or more Commissioners be appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor to explore the alteration contemplated in the Petition of Samuel White and others, in that part of the Great Road between the Finger Board and Fredericton, lying between the Jemseg Creek at or near Titus's and the farm of Mr. Chisholm by way of the Narrows on the Washademoak, and to report thereon to this House at the next Session of the Legislature; and further

Resolved, That the expense of making the above exploration be taken from the money appropriated at this Session for the above Great Road."

Read as engrossed,

The Resolutions of Appropriation made and passed the third of March.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot take the said Resolutions to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for the better regulation of the Office of Sheriff in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize an Assessment on the Inhabitants of the County of Charlotte towards paying off the debts due from said County.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to provide for the Clerk of the Circuits, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon, they were not concurred in by the House.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to repeal all the Laws now in force for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provisions for the same.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Street return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendment made by the Council to

A Bill to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City.

The amendment being read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the several Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee had under their consideration His Excellency's Message of the 19th February, on the subject of Quit Rents, and made progress thereon, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again. *Ordered*,

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to regulate the inspection of Dry and Pickled Fish for Home consumption and for exportation: and

A Bill, intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the Exportation of Lumber;" with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And that they had passed

A Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the enlargement of the Sittings of the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Courts of Common Pleas in this Province;" to which they also desire the concurrence of this House.

Read a first time,

A Bill sent from the Council, intituled "An Act to authorize the enlargement of the Sittings of the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Courts of Common Pleas in this Province.

Mr. Street moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, 6th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a second time, a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

"An Act to authorize the enlargement of the Sittings of the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Courts of Common Pleas in this Province: also

A Bill to Incorporate *The Norton Bridge Company*: and

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendment made by the Council to

A Bill intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the exportation of Lumber."

The amendment being read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. J. M. Wilmot return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to regulate the Inspection of Dry and Pickled Fish for home consumption and for exportation.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Robinson return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to amend an Act, intituled "An Act to provide for sick and disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province."

Mr. Weldon in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments, under the Title of "A Bill in amendment of the Acts relating to sick and disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province."

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

On motion of Mr. Allen,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to prevent the clandestine, landing of liberated Slaves and other persons therein mentioned from Vessels arriving in this Province.

Mr. Hill in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

On motion of Mr. J. M. Wilmot,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Message of the 19th February, on the subject of Quit Rents, again under their consideration, and he was directed to report as follows:—

That in the Committee the following Resolution was moved:—

"*Whereas* it appears by the Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, communicated to the House on the 19th February last, that His Majesty's Commands have been received to resume the collection of the Quit Rents in this Province from Midsummer 1831, the period to which they were heretofore relinquished: and

"*Whereas*, since the failure of all attempts to effect a satisfactory arrangement with His Majesty's Government for the surrender of the Casual and Territorial Revenues in this Province, there appears no alternative for the Legislature, but either to commute those dues by a Grant from the Provincial Funds, or leave the Country exposed to all the inconvenience which would result from their collection by the Crown; therefore

"*Resolved*, As the opinion of this Committee, that it is expedient to offer His Majesty's Government a permanent annual Grant from the Revenues of this Province of ——— pounds in lieu of all claims and demands due or to become due for Quit Rents in this Province; and further

"*Resolved*, As the opinion of this Committee, that an humble Address should be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that he will be pleased to communicate such offer to His Majesty's Government, and in the mean time to suspend any further collections of the Quit Rents until His Majesty's pleasure in regard to such offer may be known.

To which the following amendment was moved to be substituted in place thereof.

"*Resolved*, As the opinion of this Committee, that sufficient information has not been afforded to them to enable them to come to any conclusion on a subject of so much importance as that recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in his Message of the 19th February last: That before this Committee could come to any decision with regard to redeeming, commuting or extinguishing the Quit Rents, it is but reasonable that they should be correctly informed upon the following points:—

"1st. Whether the sum required by His Majesty's Government as a commutation or for the redemption of the Quit Rents, is necessary towards the support of the Government of this Province, and if necessary,

"2ndly. To what specific purpose the same will be applied if granted by the Assembly.

"3rdly. Whether the Receipts of the Crown Revenues are not at present more than are required for all purposes of supporting the Provincial Grant, and whether there is any

any apprehension on the part of Government that any diminution of these Revenues are likely soon to take place to such an extent as would require the addition of the Quit Rents, or a sum in commutation or redemption thereof, for the purposes aforesaid.

"4thly. Whether any further instructions have been received from His Majesty's Government, since the proposition made in 1830 by the Right Honorable Sir George Murray, except the remarks made by Mr. Secretary Stanley in reply to the Deputation; and further

"*Resolved*, As the opinion of this Committee, that any measure for commuting, redeeming or extinguishing the Quit Rents would be unequal and unjust in principle as regards the people of this Province.

"1st. It would be unequal, as the great Land-holders would be relieved in a much greater degree than others who may only possess small Farms, but who contribute equally to the Revenues of the Province.

"2dly. It would be unjust because a large proportion of the Revenues is raised from persons who own no Land in the Province, and who would therefore receive no relief: and further, it would create an unjust and invidious distinction between the old Settlers, and those who settled in the Province under the present system of selling the Crown Lands; and further

"*Resolved*, That any measure short of the absolute extinguishing of the Quit Rents would be in the highest degree unsatisfactory as a commutation or redemption would only transfer the collection of an exceedingly unpopular tax from the Home Government to the Provincial Legislature without any apparent necessity for such collection; therefore

"*Resolved*, That, with due consideration of this important subject, this Committee are of opinion that it is not at present expedient to entertain any proposition for commuting or redeeming the Quit Rents, but that the Imperial Parliament should be addressed upon the subject."

When several amendments were moved to the said amendment.

To expunge in the first clause of the said amendment, after the word "Committee" the following:—

"That sufficient information has not been afforded to them to enable them to come to any conclusion upon a subject of so much importance as that recommended by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in His Message of the 19th February last, that before this Committee could," and insert "That to enable them to come."

Then to expunge the following clauses—

"2dly. To what specific purpose the same will be applied if granted by the Assembly."

"4thly. Whether any further instructions have been received from His Majesty's Government since the proposition made in 1830 by the Right Honorable Sir George Murray, except the remarks made by Mr. Secretary Stanley in reply to the Deputation."

And then in the last clause but one, to expunge the words "An exceedingly improper" and insert "The amount of the."

It was then moved that the said last amendments be withdrawn.

And upon the question the Committee divided—and it was carried in the affirmative.

The question was then taken for adopting the first amendment—

Whereupon the Committee again divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. Palmer,
L. A. Wilmot,	Hanington,
Connell.	Chandler,
	Stewart,
	Ford,
	Crane,
	End,
	Weldon,
	Street,
	Partelow,
	Johnston,
	J. M. Wilmot,
	Burns,
	Slason,
	Morehouse,
	Robinson,
	Miles,
	Hayward,
	M'Leod,
	Gilbert,
	Wyer,
	Brown,
	Clinch,
	Woodward,
	Hill,
	Allen.

And it was decided in the negative.

The question was then taken upon the original Resolution, when the Committee again divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Chandler,	Mr. Speaker,
Hanington,	Palmer,
Ford,	Stewart,
End,	Crane,
Weldon,	Partelow,
Street,	Johnston.
Allen,	J. M. Wilmot,
Slason,	Burns,
M'Leod.	Connell,
	Miles,
	Hayward,
	Gilbert,
	Wyer,
	Brown,
	Clinch,
	Woodward.
	Freeze,
	Morehouse,
	Robinson,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	Hill.

And it was also decided in the negative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, communicated to the House the following:—

"*Legislative*

"*Legislative Council Chamber, 5th March,* 1835.

"*Ordered,* That the Master in Chancery do go down to the Assembly and acquaint that House, that the Legislative Council desire a Conference with the Assembly on the subject matter of the Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of the Saint John Bridge Company.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

"*Legislative Council Chamber, 6th March,* 1835.

"*Ordered,* That the Honorable Mr. Botsford be appointed a Committee on the part of the Legislative Council to join the Committee of the Assembly, for the purpose of preparing an Address to His Majesty on the subject of the North Eastern Boundary of the United States.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*

Mr. End from the Committee appointed to present an Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor on the subject of a Revised Edition of the Laws of the Province, Reported, that the duty had been attended to, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, that he would attend to the same.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of this House of yesterday, praying that His Excellency would be pleased to communicate with the Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia on the subject of certain Treasury Bonds sent to the late Attorney General of that Province for collection, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and that His Excellency was pleased to say he would comply with the wishes of the House.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill in amendment of the Act relating to sick and disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Street,

The House proceeded to take into consideration

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province; and the same being agreed to, was thereupon ordered to be engrossed.

The said Bill being then read a third time as engrossed

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the same to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House do procure 140 Copies of the Act passed this Session relating to Roads and the performance of Statute Labour thereon, to be by him transmitted to the Clerks of the Peace in the different Counties in this Province, and by them distributed to the Commissioners of Highways in the different Parishes throughout the respective Counties.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill for establishing a Tender in all payments to be made in this Province, and for repealing all the Laws now in force relating to the same.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, they made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Saturday, 7th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to prevent the clandestine landing of liberated Slaves and other persons therein mentioned from Vessels arriving in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Weldon take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read a third time, a Bill sent from the Council, intituled

"An Act to authorize the enlargement of the Sittings of the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Courts of Common Pleas in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward return the said Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

On motion of Mr. Woodward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill for establishing a Tender in all payments to be made in this Province, and for repealing all the Laws now in force relating to the same.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, they made several amendments thereto and then agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

On motion of Mr. Freeze,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to Incorporate *The Norton Bridge Company.*

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for establishing a Tender in all payments to be made in this Province, and for repealing all the Laws now in force relating to the same.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

Read as engrossed,

Several Resolutions of Appropriation made and passed the 4th instant.

Ordered, That Mr. Connell take the said Resolutions to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to prepare a Bill for the Naturalization of Aliens in this Province, agreeably to the Dispatch of the Right Honorable the Earl of Aberdeen, dated the 20th December last.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill, Mr. Weldon, and Mr. L. A. Wilmot, be a Committee for that purpose.

Mr. Partelow gave notice, that he should, on Monday next, bring under consideration of the House the subject of an humble Address to the Home Government, relative to the Quit Rents and other important matters connected with the welfare of this Province, and submitted several Resolutions embracing those objects, which he laid on the Table for the information of the House.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

Monday,

MONDAY, 9th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Hill, from the Committee appointed to prepare a Bill for the Naturalization of Aliens in this Province, agreeably to the Dispatch of the Right Honorable the Earl of Aberdeen, dated the 20th December last, reported, that they had attended thereto, and prepared a Bill under the Title of

"A Bill for the Naturalization of Aliens in this Province;" which he was directed to submit to the House.

The Bill being handed in, was read a first and second times.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

Whereas the Legislature have made provision for the support and encouragement of primary Schools, on a scale of liberality commensurate with the financial resources of the Province: and whereas numerous Petitions are annually presented by persons not legally qualified to receive the Provincial Bounty; which Petitions unnecessarily encumber the Journals, and occupy much of the time of the House in discussion of their merits; therefore

Resolved, That this House will not in future receive any such Petition from any School Master or Teacher of a Parish School, praying Provincial aid for services performed in that capacity.

To which Mr. Crane moved as an amendment to the second clause of the Preamble,

To strike out all after the word "presented" and insert "from persons seeking Legislative aid for teaching Schools in cases where all the requisites of the Law had not been complied with, thereby causing great delay and loss of time in discussing the merits of said Petitions, and when applications of this nature are successful, having a tendency to cause neglect in complying with the Provisions of the Act relative to Parish Schools."

And upon the question it was carried in the affirmative.

A further amendment was then moved by Mr. Crane, to strike out all after the word "*Resolved*" and insert "That no provision will in future be made for applications of the above description, unless in cases where it is made to appear to the satisfaction of the House that all the requisites of the Law had been complied with by the person so applying, or that he or she has been prevented by circumstances beyond their control."

Which was also carried in the affirmative.

The question was then taken upon the Resolution as amended, when it passed in the affirmative.

Application having been made by Mr. Wyer, a Member from Charlotte, Mr. Burns, from the City of Saint John, and Mr. Ford from Kent, for leave of absence,

Ordered, Thereupon, that leave be granted.

Mr. Speaker, one of the Deputation sent to England in 1833, to bring under the consideration of the Government certain matters connected with the Province, laid before the House an Account shewing the expence of the said Deputation; as also the cost of various Books purchased for the Council and Assembly.

Ordered, Thereupon, that the same lie on the Table.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to the Resolutions of Appropriation, dated 24th, 25th, 27th and 28th of February last, with the exception of the following grants, to-wit:—

To John Thompson, twenty five pounds, for teaching a School fifteen months at West Isles:

To Thomas Blacklock, to compensate him for teaching a School six months, the sum of ten pounds:

To Josiah Freeze, of Sussex Vale, a licensed teacher, the sum of twenty pounds, to remunerate him for teaching a School in the Parish of Brunswick in Queen's County, for one year, ending in October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine:

To

To John Kinnear, President of the Saint Patrick's Society, the sum of fifty pounds, to enable the said Society to extend more effectual relief to the numerous Irish Emigrants arriving at Saint John, to be taken from the Emigrant Fund:

To Thomas H. Black, the sum of five pounds, for teaching a School in the Middle Quaco District in the Parish of Saint Martin's, for three months, ending September, one thousand eight hundred aud thirty four:

To James Carter, of Saint David in the County of Charlotte, the sum of twenty pounds, said to be due him for teaching a Public School in the Parish of Saint Andrews, for the year ending on the thirtieth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen:

To Jane M'Cracken, five pounds, for teaching a School six months at West Isles:

To John Flynn, a licensed teacher, the sum of twenty pounds, for teaching a School in the Parish of Westfield, King's County, for one year, ending the eleventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine:

To the Justices of the Peace for the County of Westmorland, the sum of four pounds, for expenses incurred in relief extended to Shipwrecked Emigrants, the said sum to be taken from the Emigrant Fund:

To the Rev. Gilbert L. Wiggins, Minister of Grace Church in the Parish of Portland, in the County of Saint John, the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, in aid of individual subscription, towards establishing a Free School in that populous Parish:

To the Rev. J. Dunphy and Committee of Management of Saint Malachi Church in the City of Saint John, the sum of fifty pounds, in aid of individual subscription, towards the education of the numerous children of the Roman Catholic persuasion:

To Alexander Gillespie, a licensed teacher, the sum of twenty pounds, for teaching a School in Canning for one year, ending June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty three:

To George G. Winniett, the sum of twenty pounds, for a School taught by him in Hampton in the County of King's, for the period of one year from September one thousand eight hundred and thirty two:

To William Brenan, the sum of twenty pounds, for keeping a School in the Parish of Portland during the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty four:

To Ebenezar Packard, the sum of twenty pounds, for his services in keeping a Parish School in Northesk in the County of Northumberland for one year, (viz:) six months in one thousand eight hundred and twenty six, and six months in one thousand eight hundred and thirty:

To Hannah A. Packard, the sum of ten pounds, for her services in keeping a Parish School in Northesk in the County of Northumberland, during six months in one thousand eight hundred and thirty, and six months in one thousand eight hundred and thirty one:

To Catherine Dayton, the sum of ten pounds, to remunerate her for teaching a School in the Parish of Fredericton for one year:

To Joseph Samuels of Chatham, Miramichi, the sum of two pounds sixteen shillings and nine pence, being the amount of duties paid by him on forty two thousand four hundred Quills, and thirty five gross of Pencils, exported by him in July last to Quebec:

To Ebenezar Packard, the sum of twenty pounds, for keeping a School one year in the Parish of Blissfield in the County of Northumberland, ending in October in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty two:

To Thomas M'Donald Beverly, the sum of twenty pounds, for teaching a School in the Parish of Saint George, for the year ending on the twenty ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty three:

To the Managing Committee of the Baptist Education Society, the sum of five hundred pounds, towards the erection of a Seminary at Fredericton, for the education of youth:

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds, to be applied for the building of a suitable residence for the Health Officer to be stationed on Partridge Island, the same to be taken from the Emigrant Fund;

And

And that he was further directed to inform the House that the Council had passed the following Resolution :—

"*Resolved*, That this House doth not object to the propriety of the last mentioned grant to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, if taken from the general funds of the Province, but the House does not think that an establishment which is wanted for preserving the general health of the community should be charged on the Emigrant Fund."

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

That the House do now resolve itself into a Committee of the whole, on a Bill to authorize assessments upon the City and County of Saint John to pay a proportion of the Contingent Expenses of the City and County, and the balance of the County Debt.

To which it was moved as an amendment,

To strike out the word "now" and insert "this day three months."

And upon the question it was carried in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That the House do agree to the Conference requested by the Legislative Council on the subject matter of the Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company*.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow communicate this Resolution to the Council.

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot.

Ordered, That the Resolution of the Legislative Council communicated to the House on the 2nd instant, setting forth their reasons for excepting to the several Resolutions of Appropriation to the Clerks and Clerks Assistant of the Council and Assembly, be referred to the Committee of Privileges.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot, and Mr. Brown, be added to the said Committee.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties in this Province.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments, under the Title of a Bill to continue and amend the Act for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties of this Province.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

Resolved, That the Bill to Incorporate *The Norton Bridge Company*, be recommitted.

The House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Hayward in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under reconsideration they made further amendments thereto, and then agreed to the same.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill as further amended engrossed.

Mr. Robinson, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill, intituled "An Act to provide for opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges throughout the Province;" which was read a first time.

Mr. Woodward, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill, to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue for the services therein mentioned; which was read a first time.

Mr. Brown, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province; which was read a first time.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to Incorporate *The Norton Bridge Company.*

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Freeze take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

The Bill to continue and amend the Laws for raising a Revenue, and that they had agreed to the Bill to regulate Tavern Keepers and Retailers, without any amendment.

And that he was further directed to inform the House that

The Honorable Mr. Simonds was appointed the Conferee, on the part of the Council, on the subject matter of the Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of the Saint John Bridge Company.

Mr. Partelow, pursuant to notice given on Saturday last the 7th instant, brought under consideration of the House the subject of Quit Rents, Casual Revenue, and other matters connected with the Province, and submitted the following Resolutions :—

Resolved, As the opinion of this House, that the recent determination of His Majesty's Government to resume the collection of the Quit Rents in this Province, is a measure deeply to be deplored, inasmuch as an exaction of such a peculiar description is calculated to excite agitation and discontent and should be resorted to upon the grounds of absolute necessity alone.

Resolved, As the opinion of this House, that the necessity of making such collection in this Province, as a provision for any part of the Civil List does not exist, but on the contrary the flourishing state of the Casual and Territorial Revenues under the control of His Majesty's Government, and solely at their disposal, renders the imposition of so impolitic a claim upon the Country extremely odious; for without it, there appears a clear surplus Revenue of about £7,000 per annum, over and above what is called the established Civil List of the Province, independently of the large amount received and to be received from the Land Company, and notwithstanding the very large Salaries of some of the Officers chargeable on the said Revenues.

Resolved, As the opinion of this House, that His Majesty would not have been advised to direct the collection of the Quit Rents in this Province, if His Majesty had been in possession of full information regarding the state of the Crown Revenues; the ground of necessity alone being held up for their enforcement, both in this Province, as appears by the Attorney General's letter to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in 1833, where he states that the Quit Rents were "Dues necessary for the support of the Civil Establishment of the Colony," and in Nova Scotia by Sir Colin Campbell's Speech at the opening of the Legislature.

Resolved, As the opinion of this House, that no part of the Civil List should be paid for out of any other Revenues belonging to the Crown than those raised in this Province; and that as the resources of the Country at the disposal of His Majesty's Government, if carefully husbanded, are and will continue to be amply sufficient to support a well arranged and economical Civil List, adapted to its circumstances, without the necessity of imposing additional burthens; it is the imperative duty of this House, humbly and respectfully to make any suggestions for the gracious consideration of His Majesty, which may have a tendency to prevent a misapplication or an improper expenditure of any part of such Revenues.

Resolved, As the opinion of this House, that therefore a representation should be made to His Majesty's Government relative to the Salaries of some of the Officers before alluded to and paid from the Crown Revenues, comparing such Salaries with those enjoyed by Public Officers of high responsibility provincially appointed.

Resolved, As the opinion of this House, that His Majesty should at the same time be addressed on the general state of the Province, particularly with regard to the Casual and Territorial Revenue, the constantly increasing rates of duties imposed

posed at the Crown Land Office on Timber and Lumber, the variation in the price of Wild Land, and also that it be especially brought under His Majesty's notice, the inexpediency and impolicy of resorting to such an exaction as that of Quit Rents, when the small nett amount which would be derived therefrom, is not required for the purposes of Government; and further

Resolved, That information should be sought for from His Majesty's Government whether power is given to the Commissioner of Crown Lands or any other authority within the Province, at any time to impose such duties on Timber and Lumber licensed to be cut on Crown Lands, as well as to demand such prices for the Wild Lands of the Province, as he in his discretion may think fit.

Ordered, That a Committee be appointed to prepare an Address embracing the subject matter of the foregoing Resolutions, and that Mr. Partelow, Mr. Crane, and Mr. Woodward, do compose the said Committee.

Which were agreed to.

And on like motion of Mr. Partelow,

Ordered, That a Committee be appointed to prepare an Address, embracing the subject matter of the aforegoing Resolutions; and further

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Crane, and Mr. Woodward, do compose the said Committee.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to meet the Committee of the Legislative Council to manage the Conference on the part of the House of Assembly, on the subject matter of the Bill to Incorporate sundry Persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company.*

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow and Mr. Crane be a Committee for that purpose; and further

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow communicate the same to the Council.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

TUESDAY, 10th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Crane moved an amendment to the Journals of this House of yesterday, being to the first of the Resolutions submitted by Mr. Partelow, as follows:—

"*Resolved,* As the opinion of this House, that the recent determination of His Majesty's Government to resume the collection of the Quit Rents in this Province, is a measure deeply to be deplored, inasmuch as an exaction of such a peculiar description is calculated to excite agitation and discontent and should be resorted to upon the grounds of absolute necessity alone,"

To expunge all after the words "as much as" and insert as follows:—

"Any enforcement of such claim at this time, when it was so well understood that it would be resorted to upon the ground of necessity alone, is calculated to produce confusion and discontent."

Upon the question, the House divided—

Yeas, 8. Nays, 12.

And it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Crane then moved that the whole of the said Resolutions and the proceedings thereon be expunged.

Whereupon the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. End,	Mr. Woodward,
Crane,	J. M. Wilmot,
Allen,	Morehouse,
Slason.	Connell,
	Taylor,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	Stewart,
	Johnston,
	Partelow,
	Robinson,
	Miles,
	Hayward,
	M'Leod,
	Brown,
	Clinch,
	Hill,
	Freeze,
	Gilbert.

And it was also decided in the negative.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee appointed to prepare an Address to His Majesty embracing the several matters set forth in the Resolution submitted and adopted by the House yesterday, Reported, that they had attended thereto and prepared a draft thereof, which he was directed to submit to the House.

Having read the same, it was handed in at the Clerk's Table and there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Ordered, That the House do to-morrow resolve itself into Committee of the whole, in consideration of the said Draft Address.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

Resolved, That the Clerks of the Peace in the several Counties in this Province do each furnish and lay before this House at the next Session of the Legislature, a correct statement, duly attested, setting forth the balance, if any on hand, on account of Bounties for Grain raised on new Land, and also the names of such persons to whom any such Bounties have been allowed, and who have not claimed the same, and

Ordered, That the Clerk of this House communicate the aforegoing Resolution to those Officers.

On motion of Mr. Hill,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on

A Bill for the Naturalization of Aliens in this Province.

Mr. End in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed as amended.

Read a second time the following Bills:—

A Bill, intituled "An Act to provide for opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges throughout the Province:"

A Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province: and

A Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue for the services therein mentioned.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year

year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same:" and

A Bill to continue and amend the Act for Incorporating the Bank of New-Brunswick; with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

And that they had also agreed to

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province: without any amendment.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to continue and amend the Act for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties of this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Street take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Robinson,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill, intituled "An Act to provide for opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges throughout the Province."

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. Robinson, a Member for the County of Saint John, applied for leave of Absence, important business requiring his attendance at Saint John, which was granted.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act made and passed in the Third year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon, they were not concurred in by the House.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 11th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill for the Naturalization of Aliens in this Province.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. Hill take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House proceeded to the Order of the Day.

The Order of the Day being read, the House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of the whole, on the Draft Address to His Majesty, reported from the Select Committee, on the Subject of Quit Rents and other matters connected with the Province.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Draft Address referred to them, under

 consideration,

consideration, they made progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to the several Resolutions of Appropriation, dated the 3rd and 4th of March instant, with the following exceptions :—

To James M'Clellan, a licensed Teacher, the sum of thirteen pounds six shillings and eight-pence, to compensate him for teaching a School in the Parish of Sackville, County of Westmorland, for eight months, ending in March 1831 :

To Jane Danforth, a licensed Teacher in Carleton, within the City of Saint John, the sum of ten pounds, for her services in the year 1834 :

To Mrs. Susannah Guimarian, the sum of five pounds, for teaching a School in the Parish of Sheffield, for six months, ending in October 1834.

To the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the sum of one hundred pounds for the present Session, and to each and every Member of the House of Assembly, for defraying the expenses of attendance in General Assembly, the sum of thirty pounds, and for travelling charges of each and every Member, the sum of fifteen shillings per day, allowing twenty miles for each day's travel, to be certified by the Speaker.

Which are not concurred in.

And he was further directed to communicate the following :—

"*Legislative Council Chamber,* 11*th March,* 1835.

"*Ordered,* That the Master in Chancery do go down to the Assembly and acquaint that House, that the Legislative Council have agreed to the Address prepared by the joint Committee of the Legislative Council and Assembly to His Majesty relative to the Timber Duties.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

On motion of Mr. Brown,

"*Whereas* the House of Assembly of this Province possess the sole right of granting public monies, and of modelling the Supplies as they think proper: and whereas an annual sum for defraying the expenses of the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly, while attending the General Assembly, has invariably been granted and allowed, and agreed to by both Branches of the Legislature for a period of more than thirty-five years : and whereas the discontinuance of such annual allowance would unquestionably limit the Freeholders in the choice of their Representatives in the several Counties throughout this Province, to such persons only as could afford to give their time, and bear their own expenses during the sitting of the Legislature, and would therefore deeply affect the Elective Franchise, and the rights, privileges and liberties of His Majesty's Subjects within this Province : therefore

"*Resolved,* That this House cannot discontinue the aforesaid grant without abandoning some of the most essential rights and privileges of His Majesty's Loyal and faithful subjects in this Province : and further

"*Resolved,* That the aforesaid allowance be included among the Supplies of the present Session."

To which Mr. Partelow moved as an amendment, to strike out the whole of the last Resolution, beginning at the words "and further Resolved,"

And upon the question, the House divided as follows :—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Allen,	Mr. L. A. Wilmot,
End,	Freeze,
Crane,	Clinch,
Partelow,	Hill,
Johnston,	Brown,
Street,	Woodward,
Slason,	Gilbert,
J. M. Wilmot.	M'Leod,
	Miles,
	Hayward,
	Connell,
	Taylor,
	Stewart,
	Morehouse.

When it was decided in the negative.

The question was then taken upon the original Resolutions, whereupon the Committee again divided—

Yeas, 14. Nays, 8.

And they were carried in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to continue and amend the Act for Incorporating the Bank of New Brunswick.

The amendments being severally read,

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Resolved, That the said amendments be referred to a Committee of the whole House.

The House accordingly resolved itself into said Committee.

Mr. Morehouse in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee having the said amendments under their consideration, in the Committee the following Resolution was moved :—

"*Resolved,* That this Committee cannot recommend the House to concur in the amendments made by the Legislative Council."

And upon the question, the Committee divided—

Yeas, 10. Nays, 10.

And the division being equal, he decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee of Conference on the part of the Assembly to meet the Committee of the Council relative to the *Saint John Bridge Company Bill,* Reported, that they met on the said Conference, when certain instructions given to the Conferee on the part of the Council were submitted to them, viz :—

"*Ordered,* That the Committee of Conference on the subject matter of the Bill, intituled 'A Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company,*' be instructed to communicate to the Assembly, that

"The Legislative Council have desired this Conference upon this Bill, for the purpose of acquainting the Assembly, that the Council are of opinion, that the Bill should contain provisions for fixing and regulating the Tolls to be taken for passing over the contemplated Bridge, and that this matter should not be left at large to the discretion of the Directors of the Company, which the Council conceive to be objectionable on principle; and they cannot find any precedent for such a course in Acts passed for similar purposes in the Mother Country, and the neighbouring Colonies.

"The Council having desired this Conference for the purpose above mentioned, take the same opportunity of communicating to the Assembly certain proposed amendments to the said Bill, which have been agreed to in a Committee of the whole of the Legislative Council.

"WM. TYNG PETERS, *Clerk Legislative Council.*"

That the Conferees then took the same under consideration, and they prepared an amendment to the Bill, containing provisions for fixing and regulating the Tolls as recommended by the Council in their said Instructions to the Committee to manage the Conference on the part of that House.

The several amendments proposed by the Council, and the amendment prepared by the Conferees together with the said Bill, were then handed to the Committee of the Assembly to be submitted for the consideration of the House.

The Bill together with the several proposed amendments were then handed in and read, and

Ordered, To lie on the Table.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Thursday, 12th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. Street, from the joint Committee of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly to prepare an Address to His Majesty upon the subject of the Timber Duties, Reported, that the Committee had attended to that duty and prepared an Address upon that subject, which he was directed to submit to the House.

The Address being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there read, and

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into consideration of the said Address, when it was again read, and upon the question was unanimously agreed to by the House, and is as follows :—

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble Petition of Your Majesty's Legislative Council and House of Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, in General Assembly convened :

May it please Your Majesty,

We, Your Majesty's faithful Subjects, the Legislative Council and Assembly of New Brunswick, have learnt, with much satisfaction, from the despatch of the late Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated 2d May, 1834, that it was not the intention of His Majesty's Government to propose to Parliament any alteration in those Duties affecting the Timber and Deal Trade of that year, and that no step will be taken without the fullest consideration of the Colonial interests involved.

Experience has proved, that so long as this highly important question is involved in doubt and uncertainty, prudent persons will be deterred from investing capital in the establishment of Mills of approved construction, Stores, Wharves, and other works requisite for conducting the Trade in those articles extensively and advantageously.

The building of Mills fitted with machinery manufactured in the Mother Countries, would have the immediate effect of greatly improving the quality of Deals and all other kinds of sawed Lumber in these Colonies; and there can be no doubt that the Trade in these articles or in squared Timber never can be carried on to the greatest advantage of which it is susceptible, either to the Parent State or to these Colonies, unless those concerned in it are assured, that no change unfavorable to the North American Colonies will be made, until time shall have been given for a reasonable profit to be derived from the capital to be invested in such establishments.

We need not enlarge on the policy, the vital importance, of fostering a Trade, the healthy and hardy character of which affords the best nursery for Seamen—which employs upwards of two thousand sail of British Shipping—offers cheap transport and immediate employment to vast numbers of Emigrants—secures an increased and a continually increasing consumption of British manufactures—and which

which so manifestly and powerfully tends to strengthen the ties that bind us to the Parent State; for we have the most confident expectation that the consideration which Your Majesty's Government will give to interests so vast and important, both in a Colonial and National point of view, must lead to the rejection of the solicitations of those who desire a change that would prove runious to the Colonies, and beneficial only to Foreign Countries, and the comparatively few British merchants who are commercially connected with those Countries.

Craving leave to refer to former Petitions of the Council and Assembly, laid before Your Majesty in the years of 1831 and 1833, respectively, it now only remains for us, most humbly to entreat Your Majesty, that this subject, so important to the mercantile and manufacturing interests, and to the maritime power of the United Kingdom, as well as to the prosperity of the North American Colonies, may receive the most serious consideration, and that no change in the scale of duties on Timber and Deals, unfavourable to British interests, may be made.

And as in duty bound will ever pray, &c.

On motion of Mr. Street,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to acquaint the Legislative Council that the House have agreed to the said Address, and also that a Committee be appointed to join a Committee of the Council to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address, and to request that His Excellency will be pleased to transmit the same.

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. M'Leod and Mr. Brown, be a Committee to join a Committee of the Council; and further

Ordered, That Mr. Street be a Committee to communicate the same.

On motion of Mr. Hayward,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of a Bill to provide for opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges throughout the Province.

Mr. Miles in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under further consideration, they made further progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot from the joint Committee of the Council and Assembly to prepare an Address to His Majesty on the subject of the North Eastern Boundary between the United States, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and prepared the Address which he was directed to submit to the House.

The Address being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there read; and

On motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

The House went into consideration of the said Address, when it was again read and unanimously agreed to by the House, and thereupon

Ordered, To be engrossed.

Mr. Brown, from the Committee appointed to examine into the state of Government House, Reported, that they had attended thereto, and submitted a Report which he read and is as follows:—

"The Committee find that the House has been very much injured in consequence of the leaky state of the roof, and they are of opinion, that as soon as the season will admit of it, the Slates should be removed and a Tin roof substituted.

"There are many Rooms which will require repairs in the plastering and to be painted, after that the new roof shall have been put on.

"The Committee cannot avoid expressing their surprise at the quality of the materials in the wood work of the said House, the Panels, Pilasters and Architraves, as also the Floors generally, being so much shrunk as to justify the belief that the Lumber had been worked up before it was seasoned.

"The Committee also report, that a Well is required at the Barn, and two Lamp Posts at the Portico.

"Many other repairs are required in and about the said House and the Out Houses and Premises, which the Committee respectfully submit should be made as soon as convenient.

"Respectfully submitted.

"JAMES BROWN, Jr. Chairman.

"*Committee Room*, 12*th March*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot from the Committee of Privileges submitted a Report which he read and is as follows :—

"The Committee of Privileges, to whom was referred the Message of the Legislative Council, of the 27th February, relative to the appropriations made by this House, for the payment of the Clerks and Clerks Assistant of the said Council and this House respectively, beg leave to report, that they have had the said Message under their consideration, and they find no precedent in the Legislative Journals of this Province for the Resolution communicated to this House in the said Message, and they are of opinion, that the said Resolution is a dictation to this House, as to the mode of granting Supplies for certain Public Services, and is therefore a breach of the Privileges of this House."

L. A. WILMOT, Chairman.

"*Committee Room*, 12*th March*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table, was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province.

Mr. Allen in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under their consideration, the following was moved as an amendment to be added to the Bill :—

To the Speaker of the House of Assembly the sum of ——— pounds for the present Session, and to each and every Member of the House of Assembly for defraying the expenses of attendance in General Assembly, for each and every day's attendance the sum of ——— per day, such attendance to be certified by the Speaker; and for travelling charges of each and every Member the sum of ——— per day, allowing twenty miles for each day's travel, to be certified by the Speaker."

And upon the question for adopting the amendment, the Committee divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. End,
Taylor,	Slason,
Hill,	Crane,
Woodward,	Partelow,
L. A. Wilmot.	Street,
Clinch,	J. M. Wilmot.
Brown,	
Freeze,	
Gilbert,	
M'Leod,	
Miles,	
Hayward,	
Morehouse,	
Connell,	
Johnston,	
Stewart.	

And it was carried in the affirmative.

And the several blanks filled up with One hundred pounds, Fifteen shillings, and Fifteen shillings.

That

That the following Resolution was then moved :—

"*Resolved*, That the several items of appropriation passed this Session in Supply, be included in one Bill."

And upon the question for sustaining the Resolution the Committee again divided as follows :—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. Speaker,	Mr. End,
Taylor,	Slason,
Hill,	Crane,
Woodward,	Partelow,
L. A. Wilmot,	Street,
Clinch,	J. M. Wilmot.
Brown,	
Freeze,	
Gilbert,	
M'Leod,	
Miles,	
Hayward,	
Morehouse,	
Connell,	
Johnston,	
Stewart.	

And it also passed in the affirmative.

And that the Committee then went through the Bill and agreed to the same with amendments, under the Title of

A Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province, and for other services therein mentioned.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed as amended, under the amended Title.

Mr. Gilbert, a member for Queen's County, applied for leave of absence, which was granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House that the Council had agreed to

A Bill for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties in this Province ; with amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the House.

And he was further directed to inform the House, that

The Council had appointed the Honorable Messrs. Simonds and Cunard a Committee to join the Committee of the Assembly to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, and request that he will be pleased to transmit the joint Address of the Legislative Council and Assembly to His Majesty, relative to the Timber Duties.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The House proceeded to take into consideration the proposed amendments reported from the Committee of Conference, on

The Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company*.

Which being twice read, are as follow :—

"Amendments to the Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company* :—

At A. in Section XII. insert "Provided always, That the under part of the floor of any Bridge between the abutments thereof, that may be built by virtue of this Act, shall be at least seventy feet above high water level at Spring Tides."

At B. in Section XXIII insert "Executive."

At C. insert the two following Sections :—

"XXIX. And be it enacted, That if the said Saint John Bridge Company shall not within ten years from and after the passing of this Act, complete the said Bridge so as to

to make the same passable for Horses and Carriages, that then and from thenceforth all and singular the powers and authorities vested in them by this Act shall cease and determine to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

"XXX. Provided always, and be it enacted and declared, That no Toll whatsoever shall be demanded or taken for any Horse, Beast, Cattle or Carriage of whatever description, employed or to be employed in conveying, fetching or guarding Mails of Letters and Expresses under the authority of His Majesty's Post Master General, either when employed in conveying, fetching or guarding such Mails or Expresses, or returning back from conveying or guarding the same, or for any Soldiers upon their march or upon duty, or for any Horse, Cattle or Carriages attending them with their Arms and Baggage, or returning after having been so employed, nor for any Waggon, Cart, or other Carriage whatsoever, or the Horse or Horses or other Cattle drawing the same which shall be employed in conveying any Ordnance, Barrack or Commissariat or other public stores of or belonging to His Majesty's Forces.

At D. expunge "XXIX" and insert "XXXI."

At E. expunge "XXX" and insert "XXXII."

Expunge Section XIII and insert the following:—

"And be it enacted, That the said Company shall and may erect and set up or cause to be erected and set up one or more Gate or Gates, Turnpike or Turnpikes, in, upon and across the said intended Bridge or within twenty yards thereof, together with Toll Houses, and proper and necessary buildings, conveniencies and fences near to each Gate or Turnpike, across the said intended Bridge, or the road or avenue immediately communicating therewith, and within twenty yards of the said Bridge; and that the respective Tolls following may be demanded and taken by such person or persons as the said Company shall from time to time appoint at each of the said Gates or Turnpikes, for each and every time of passing over the said Bridge, (that is to say;)—

"For every foot Passenger, three pence; For every Horse, Mare, Gelding, Mule or Ass with one Person, one shilling and three-pence; For every additional Horse, Mare, Gelding, Mule or Ass, one shilling; For every Carriage drawn by one Horse or Beast of draught, with one person, two shillings; For every Horse or Beast of draught more than one drawing a Carriage, six-pence; For every person more than one with a Carriage, two-pence; For Neat Cattle, four-pence each; For Sheep, Calves, or Hogs, one half-penny each: Provided always, That no Toll be exacted from Children under five years of age."

Resloved, That the House do concur in the said proposed amendments, and that they be added to the said Bill by way of Ryders.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Council to

A Bill to continue and amend the Act for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties of this Province.

The amendments being severally read, and the question put thereon—

Resolved, That the House do concur therein.

Ordered, That Mr. Miles return the Bill to the Council, and acquaint them therewith.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Friday, 13th March, 1835.

Prayers.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, a Member for the County of Saint John, applied for leave of absence.

And on the question for granting leave the House divided—and it was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Crane, *Resolved,*

Resolved, That a Conference be requested with the Legislative Council on the subject of the last Conference; and

Ordered, That the Managers of the last Conference do request the same.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the Conference requested on the subject matter of the last Conference, and that the Honorable Mr. Simonds is appointed the Conferee on the part of that House, to meet such Conferees as the Assembly may appoint.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to manage the Conference on the part of this House on the subject of the last Conference, and that they be instructed to inform the Committee of the Council that the House have agreed to the amendments proposed to be made to that Bill, and also the amendment recommended by the said last Conference of the Council and Assembly, and that the said amendments have been added to the said Bill by way of Ryders, and that the Committee deliver the said Bill to the Committee of the Council.

Ordered, That Mr. Crane and Mr. J. M. Wilmot, be a Committee to manage the Conference on the part of this House.

Read as engrossed,

The Resolution of Appropriation of the 4th March instant, being the grant to the Clerk of this House for the contingent expenses of the Session.

Resolved, That Mr. Street take the said Resolution to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the Address to His Majesty on the subject of Quit Rents and other matters connected with the Province.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had the Address referred to them again under consideration and made further progress therein, and he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted and leave granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the Resolution of Appropriation of the 4th March.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province, and for other services therein mentioned.

When an amendment was moved thereto, to strike out, in the grant to the Speaker and Members of this House, after the words "General Assembly," the following:—

"The sum of fifteen shillings per day, such attendance to be certified by the Speaker," and insert the words—"the sum of thirty pounds."

And upon the question it was carried in the affirmative.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot take the said Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence thereto.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'Clock.

SATURDAY, 14th March, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Street,

"*Whereas,* the Legislative Council have not concurred in the Bill for altering and

amending

amending the present line of Great Road of communication between Fredericton and Miramichi: And Whereas, there are doubts entertained as to whether a better line of Road may not be found on the North side of the South West Branch of the Miramichi River from Swim's Ferry up, than the line recommended by Alexander Goodfellow and others, on the South side of the said River from Robert Doak's up, especially as it is thought that a good site for a Bridge across the Miramichi may be found above Bois's on that Branch of the said River: And Whereas, there is an application from the Land Company, to have the Great Road of communication between Fredericton and Miramichi altered from the present line, and to extend through the Companys' Land: And Whereas, it is highly desirable to have these Lines thoroughly examined and explored before adopting either: therefore

"*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that he will be pleased to appoint three fit and proper Persons to explore and examine a line of Road on the North side of the South West Branch of the Miramichi River, from Swim's Ferry up, to the most eligible site for a Bridge across the said River; and also to examine the line of Road recommended by the said Land Company, and the one recommended by Alexander Goodfellow and others, and to report to this House at the next sitting of the Legislature, the result of such examination and explorations, and their opinions particularly, as to which of the two lines it will be most desirable to adopt as the Great Road of communication between Fredericton and Miramichi, and especially as to the expediency of carrying the Road on the North side of the said River from Swim's Ferry up, instead of crossing at Doak's as at present established, and as to where the best site for a Bridge across the said River may be found, and the probable expense of erecting the same, with all other particulars as to the difference in the distance and expense of making the said Road agreeble to the line recommended by the Land Company, and that recommended by Alexander Goodfellow and others: And further, that His Excellency will be pleased to direct the money granted the present Session for that Road to be expended as follows, viz:—One hundred pounds thereof, towards bearing the expense of the above explorations; a sum not exceeding One hundred pounds, other part thereof, in keeping the old Road between Bois's and Fredericton in repair, a sum not exceeding One hundred pounds, other part thereof, in keeping the old Road between Bois's and Robert Doak's in repair; and the residue of the said One thousand five hundred pounds in making and finishing that part of the said Great Road lying between Swim's Ferry, (opposite Doak's) and Newcastle; and further

"*Resolved*, That should any thing occur, to prevent the expenses of the said exploration from being paid from the above mentioned source, that this House will provided for the same at the next sitting of the Legislature."

Ordered, That Mr. Street, Mr. Woodward and Mr. Miles, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

On motion of Mr. Wyer,

"*Whereas*, by the recent regulations relative to the granting of Licenses to cut Timber, Mill, and other Lumber, on Crown Lands, published in the Royal Gazette of 11th instant, by the Commissioner of Crown Lands, it appears, that in future, Permits for Timber Berths of unlimited extent for a term of five years will be granted; and also, that an additional Tonnage Duty of 6d. per ton on Timber, 6d. per thousand on White Pine, and 1s. per thousand on Spruce Mill Lumber will be required: And Whereas, such regulations, with others of a very objectionable nature, will not only open a door to the granting of very extensive reserves, and thereby throw a decided advantage into the hands of Capitalists, to the manifest injury of the enterprising Trader and Lumberer, but by increasing the duty, tend greatly to embarrass and injure the Trade, the old rate of duty having been found by experience even greater than the Trade will bear: therefore

"*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, praying that he will be pleased to prevent the above mentioned regulations, so far as relates to the granting of Timber Berths of an unlimited extent, and

and the increasing the Tonnage Duty on Timber and Mill Lumber, from going into operation, the same being calculated, in the opinion of this House, very materially to injure the Trade and prosperity of the Country."

Ordered, That Mr. Wyer, Mr. Street and Mr. Taylor, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency with the Address.

Mr. J. M. Wilmot, a Member for the County of Saint John, applied for leave of absence, which was granted.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

The House went into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of the Address to His Majesty on the subject of Quit Rents and other matters connected with the Province.

Mr. M'Leod in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that having the Address referred to them again under their consideration they made amendments thereto, and then agreed to the said Address.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

The Address, as amended, being then agreed to by the House, was ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Street, from the joint Committee of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, to request that His Excellency would be pleased to cause the Petition of both Houses to His Majesty on the subject of the Timber and Deal Duties, to be laid at the Foot of the Throne, reported, that they have attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, he would have much pleasure in transmitting a Petition of so great importance, both to the Mother Country and to this Colony.

The engrossed joint Address of the Legislative Council and Assembly to His Majesty and the Imperial Parliament upon the subject of the North Eastern Boundary of the United States, was read and is as follows :—

"*The Humble Address of Your Majesty's Legislative Council and House of Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, in General Assembly convened :*

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY,

"WE Your Majesty's faithful and loyal Subjects, the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, feeling that the interests of this Province are deeply involved in the question now in dispute, between Your Majesty and the United States of America, relating to the Boundary between the British Territories in North America and the said United States, are induced to address Your Majesty upon this subject, with sentiments of unshaken attachment to Your Majesty's Person and Government.

"Deeply impressed with a sense of Your Majesty's constant wishes to promote the prosperity of all parts of Your extended Empire, we have the fullest confidence in the determination of Your Majesty's Government, to maintain Your Majesty's rights, and preserve the integrity of those Your North American Dominions, in the settlement of this most important question.

"We beg leave most humbly to represent, that a speedy settlement thereof is earnestly to be desired, as well for the quiet and welfare of the Inhabitants of those parts of Your Majesty's possessions which are claimed by the United States, as for the general benefit and advancement of this Province.

"And as in duty bound will ever pray, &c."

And on motion of Mr. L. A. Wilmot,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to join such Committee as may be appointed by the Council, to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address, and to request that His Excellency will be pleased to transmit the same to His Majesty, to be laid at the Foot of the Throne.

Ordered, That Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Woodward and Mr. Hayward, be the Committee

Committee for that purpose, and that Mr. L. A. Wilmot acquaint the Council with the appointment.

Mr. Connell, a Member for the County of Carleton, applied for leave of absence, which was granted.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to

A Bill to Incorporate sundry persons by the name of the Saint John Bridge Company.

A Message from the Legislative Council.

Mr. Putnam, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had appointed the Honorable Messrs. Botsford and Lee a Committee of that House, to join the Committee of the Assembly, to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and request he will be pleased to transmit the joint Address on the subject of the Boundary Line between this Province and the United States of America, to be laid before His Majesty.

The engrossed Address to His Majesty on the subject of Quit Rents, Casual and Territorial Revenues and other matters connected with the Province, was read and is as follows :—

"To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

"THE HUMBLE ADDRESS OF THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY,

"THE Assembly of New-Brunswick again most humbly beg leave to approach Your Majesty with those sentiments of loyalty and affection, for which this Colony has been so greatly distinguished.

"Having been informed, by Message from the Lieutenant Governor of the Province, that he had received instructions from Your Majesty's Government to resume the collection of the Quit Rents, unless such an offer of a permanent annual grant should be made to Your Majesty to commute the said Rents, as would induce their suspension until Your Majesty's pleasure should be known ; the Assembly felt, that under the peculiar circumstances of the Country, they could not be justified in making such offer, but that they would be best discharging the high and responsible obligations they owed their constituents, in bringing the subject under Your Majesty's most gracious notice, and in a free and frank manner afford Your Majesty the reasons which actuated them in their decision, in the hope that they will be favourably considered by Your Majesty, and lead to the results prayed for.

"The Assembly deem it unnecessary to advert to the vexatious and almost obsolete nature of the claim, the length of time which elapsed (47 years) before it was demanded, and the fact of such a reservation in the grants being considered of so little consequence, that in the numerous transfers of Land it has been practically lost sight of; These are matters which have previously been urged on the consideration of Your Majesty and Your Royal Predecessor; neither will the Assembly dwell upon the litigation and confusion which will inevitably ensue upon any attempt to enforce this impolitic exaction ; but they do most humbly contend, with all due submission, that no necessity exists in this Province to make the collection as a provision for any part of the Civil List; and they have good reasons for believing that the want of a sufficient amount to provide for the Civil Establishment of the Province is the only ground for resorting to these Rents. In taking this view of the subject the Assembly are justified, by reference to the Attorney General's letter to the Lieutenant Governor, laid before the Legislature in 1833, in which he states that the Quit Rents were "dues necessary for the support of the Civil Establishment of the Colony," and also by Sir Colin Campbell's Speech at the opening of the Legislature in Nova Scotia, wherein it is clearly set set forth, that if any other resources had been at the disposal of Your Majesty within that Province, which could have been made available for the payment of the Civil List, no claim for these Rents would ever have been exacted.

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"The Assembly call your Majesty's attention to the relative situation of New-Brunswick and Nova Scotia with regard to the Crown Revenues: In the former they are in a most flourishing condition, and notwithstanding the excessively high Salaries of some of the Officers and the Contingent expences connected with the Civil Establishments, chargeable on the said Revenues, there is a surplus of about £7,000 per annum, after paying what is called the established Civil List, at your Majesty's disposal, independently of the large amount that is and will be paid in by the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company: Our sister Province, on the other hand, does not possess such advantages; the Casual and Territorial Revenues there not being nearly sufficient for the ordinary purposes of Government, and as it is but just and fair that Colonies circumstanced as both Nova Scotia and New Brunswick are, should support their several Civil Establishments from Revenues arising within their respective Territories, without, as formerly, looking for any provision from the Imperial Parliament, it is not to be wondered at that a grant should be sought for by Your Majesty's Government from the Legislature of Nova Scotia to make up any annual deficiency that had arisen, while at the same time it afforded Your Majesty an opportunity of cancelling a claim upon the inhabitants of that Province, the collection of which would have caused much dissatisfaction.

"The Assembly trust that Your Majesty will see the striking diffierence in the circumstances of the two Colonies; the one with a flourishing Revenue under no Legislative control, without the least necessity of Your Majesty being obliged to apply any new burthen upon Your most faithful subjects, by the imposition of additional Duties on the sources whence those Revenues are derived, or to resort to a claim always considered harressing and objectionable in its nature, and though small when individually applied, vexatious in principle and extremely expensive in enforcing; the other without an amount of similar resources to pay its Civil Establishments, and consequently affording Your Majesty reasonable grounds of resorting to means at Your Majesty's disposal to induce the Legislature to make up the deficiency.

"Nor can the Assembly conceive from a dispassionate retrospective consideration of the growth of this Colony, and the facilities which it affords to the prosecution of an attainment of honorable independence to the industrious settler, if a judicious policy were observed in the management of the Crown Lands and Forests, that there will be such a falling off of Your Majesty's Revenues, as will make it indispensibly necessary for a future appeal being made to the Legislature to grant any portion of the Civil List from other Revenues created by them; on the contrary they are of opinion, if these Revenues are properly husbanded they will continue to afford Your Majesty a large annual surplus, after paying the necessary Civil charges of the Province; and in this they are borne out by the receipts for the last three years, the recent competition for wild Lands, and the unexpected investments of the Nova Scotia and New-Brunswick Land Company, by which a great amount of British Capital and British Industry has been diverted to and concentrated in New-Brunswick.

"But the Assembly are of opinion, that to make this a matter of certainty it will be necessary that a reduction of some of the Salaries chargeable upon Your Majesty's Revenues should receive your Majesty's gracious consideration, as they are entirely beyond the circumstances of the Country to afford, and so far above those allowed other Officers of great responsibility and of Provincial appointment, that the Assembly sincerely trust Your Majesty will bring down the Salaries alluded to, in such a degree as will, in some measure, comport with those paid for by the Colony, and they subjoin a Schedule, to which they humbly beg reference.

"The Assembly urge this, with due submission, on your Majesty's consideration, as a subject of all others deserving particular attention, for, independently of other reasons which might be given to Your Majesty, the very fact of such enormous Salaries being enjoyed by a few individuals in a young Country, where wealth is comparatively unknown, has a tendency to encourage and promote habits of extravagance and luxury among those of moderate incomes, (with whom alone they can associate) which frequently end in poverty and distress.

"There is another subject of deep and vital importance to this Colony, which they have to bring under the notice of Your Majesty, and to which Your Majesty's gracious attention is sought by your faithful Commons. "It

"It is universally understood as well as generally believed, that the Commissioner of Crown Lands is subject to no efficient control; duties for Licenses to cut Timber on Crown Lands have been at different times increased, and within a few days an additional Duty of 33⅓ per cent. on Timber has been laid; the price of Lands has been and is fluctuating but constantly advancing; and the power with which he is vested is generally viewed by the Mercantile and Lumbering interests of the Country with such alarm that an opinion very generally prevails, exactions of such magnitude might be required at a moment's notice as materially to affect, if not altogether to destroy, the export Trade of the Country. The Assembly beseech Your Majesty graciously to afford them information on those points, and that Your Majesty will not allow any increase to be made hereafter, either in the price of Timber or Wild Lands, until the intention be made known to Your faithful Commons, in order, that if they think such increase not called for, time may be afforded them to lay their reasons at the Foot of the Throne; intimately acquainted as they are with all Sections of the Province, and deeply interested in its settlement and improvement.

"The Assembly need scarcely mention that they are ready, as they have always been, to provide for the Civil Establishment of the Province, upon a scale commensurate with its resourses, in the event of all the Crown Revenues in the Colony being placed under the control of the Legislature, and the sources whence they are derived; but this, from the recent Dispatches of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, appears far from being the intention of Your Majesty's Government, yet they cannot refrain from urging upon Your Royal consideration, the benefits which would result to Your Majesty and the people of this Province, by placing the nett proceeds of these Revenues under the control of the Legislature, as it must be manifest to Your Majesty that they have means of knowing the proper objects for public encouragment, which cannot be available to Your Majesty's Government.

"The Assembly, in conclusion, most humbly trust, that for the reasons stated, and others which have formerly been brought under Your Majesty's notice, Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to dispense with the collection of the Quit Rents in this Province, and that Your Majesty will be pleased to give these their other representations such consideration as to Your Majesty may seem meet.

(Signed) "CHARLES SIMONDS,
"*Speaker of the House of Assembly.*"

Schedule of Salaries proposed as chargeable upon the Casual and Territorial Revenues and contingencies of Office, which are supposed amply sufficient, considering the circumstances of the Country:

The Lieutenant Governor, during the Administration of Sir Archibald Campbell, the same as at present.

		Currency.		
His Successor in the Administration,		£2,500	0	0
The Chief Justice, in lieu of all Fees and travelling expenses,		1,000	0	0
The Three Puisne Judges each £900 in lieu of all Fees and travelling expenses,		2,700	0	0
The present Commissioner of Crown Lands and Surveyor General,	1,000 0 0			
His Successor in Office,		600	0	0
Indoor establishment of Office,		600	0	0
Provincial Secretary,	1,000 0 0			
His Successor in Office,		600	0	0
Indoor establishment of Office,		300	0	0
The Auditor and Receiver Generals, each £300,		600	0	0
Carried forward,		£8,900	0	0

And upon the death, retirement, removal or promotion of the present Auditor and Receiver Generals, or either of them, the Offices respectively, should be discontinued, and all accounts of the receipts and expenditure of the Crown Revenues be annually in detail laid before the House of Assembly for inquiry, which would render the Office of Auditor Ge-

Brought forward,	£8,900	0	0
neral unnecessary, and that the Crown Revenues be paid into the Provincial Treasury, and be received and paid by the Treasurer without any charge for such service.			
Private Secretary to the Governor,	200	0	0
Government Contingencies,	300	0	0
	9,400	0	0
Annual allowance to College,	1,100	0	0
Total currency,	£10,500	0	0

"The above are considered sufficient for the Salaries of the Officers above alluded to, and ample allowance has been made for the Indoor establishments and contingencies.

"The Assembly cannot see any reasonable ground why there should be any Salaries in the Province beyond those enjoyed by the Puisne Judges, except those of the Lieutenant Governor and Chief Justice.

"The Treasurer of the Province (an Office of great responsibility and labour) receives an annual Salary of £600 currency, per annum, besides an allowance for a Clerk, Office hire and contingencies, of about £300."

And on motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the said Address, and request His Excellency will be pleased to transmit the same to be laid at the Foot of the Throne.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Crane and Mr. Woodward be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to correspond with the Province Agents, upon all matters wherein the interest of this Province is concerned.

Ordered, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Woodward, Mr. L. A. Wilmot, Mr. Rankin and Mr. Wyer, be a Committee for that purpose.

The House adjourned until Monday morning next at 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, 16th March, 1835.

Prayers.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

That the House do now resolve itself into Committee of the whole, in further consideration of

A Bill to provide for opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges throughout the Province.

To which Mr. Hayward moved the previous question, viz :—

That that question be now put.

Whereupon the House divided as follows :—

YEAS.

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. End,	Mr. Woodward,
Crane,	Allen,
Street,	Stewart,
Wyer.	Hayward,
	Partelow,
	Slason,
	Miles,
	Taylor,
	Morehouse,
	M'Leod,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	Brown,
	Hill.

And it was decided in the negative.

On motion of Mr. End,

Ordered, That Mr. Woodward, and Mr. Hill, be added to the Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Petition of Thomas P. Marter, presented to the House on the 29th January last.

Mr. Wyer, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of this House of the 14th instant, upon the subject of Tonnage Duties and Licenses for cutting Timber and Mill Lumber on Crown Lands, reported, that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to make the following reply :—

" *Gentlemen,*

" The regulations referred to in the Address of the House of Assembly just read, were framed after much deliberation, and were intended in their result to have a very different effect from that contemplated by the House; and I still confidently hope, that in their operations they will be found beneficial to the interests of the Lumbering Trade of the Province. Should, however, these anticipations unfortunately not be realized, then shall I most readily direct the adoption of such measures as will meet the exigency of the case."

Mr. Street, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of the House of the 14th instant, on the subject of a further exploration of part of the Great Road of communication between Fredericton and Miramichi, reported, that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say the wishes of the House in that respect should be attended to.

Mr. Crane, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor with the Address of this House of the 14th instant, on the subject of the Quit Rents and Casual Revenue question, reported, that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, the wishes of the House on that subject should be complied with.

Mr. L. A. Wilmot, from the joint Committee of the Legislative Council and Assembly appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the joint Address to His Majesty on the subject of the Boundary line between this Province and the United States of America, reported, that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, that he would forward the same immediately.

On motion of Mr. End,

" *Whereas* it is considered expedient by this House to place a sum of money at the disposal of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, to be applied, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Executive Council, towards the erecting, repairing or replacing any Bridges on the Great Roads of communication that may be required, in consequence of any accident during the current year: therefore

" *Resolved,*

"*Resolved*, That this House will make provision at its next meeting for any sum not exceeding one thousand pounds, which His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Executive Council, may consider necessary to beapplied to the said purpose: and further

"*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed to wait upon His Excellency and communicate this Resolution."

Upon the question for adopting the same, the House divided as follows:—

YEAS.	NAYS.
Mr. End,	Mr. Hayward,
Partelow,	Stewart,
Street,	Crane,
Taylor,	Morehouse,
Allen,	Miles,
Wyer,	M'Leod,
Slason.	Brown,
	L. A. Wilmot,
	Woodward,
	Hill.

And it was decided in the negative.

Mr. End, from the Committee appointed to take under consideration the Petition of Thomas P. Marter, submitted a Report which he read, and is as follows:—

"The Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Thomas P. Marter of Saint John, report, that they have attended to that duty, and that after full and mature investigation of all the circumstances of the case, they conceive that the sum of one hundred and twenty-five pounds is justly due by the Province to the said Petitioner.

WILLIAM END,
L. A. WILMOT,
I. WOODWARD,
GEORGE S. HILL.

"*Committee Room*, 16*th March*, 1835."

The Report being handed in at the Clerk's Table was there again read.

Ordered, That the Report be accepted.

Mr. Crane, a Member for the County of Westmorland, and Mr. Street for Nothumberland, applied for leave of absence, which was granted.

The Members were counted, and there not being a quorum,

The Speaker adjourned the House until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY, 17th March, 1835.

Prayers.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, by Mr. Jouett, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, requiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Council Chamber.

The House attended, and being returned,

Mr. Speaker reported, that he addressed His Excellency to the following effect:—

May it please Your Excellency,

The Assembly, during the present Session, diligently applied themselves to the consideration of all matters which have been brought before them: Many Bills have been passed, which, I trust, will, in their operation, prove beneficial to the Province.

The Assembly also passed an Appropriation Bill, wherein provision was made for the payment of the Ordinary Services—for improving the Roads of communication—for erecting and repairing Bridges—for supporting Institutions of acknowledged public benefit—for encouraging the establishment of others of a like

 character,

character, and for satisfying many just individual claims upon the Treasury: This Bill also made provision for the payment of the expenses of the Speaker and Members of the Assembly, agreeably to the usage which has invariably prevailed for Thirty four years—a provision which is essential for the preservation of the rights of the constituency of the Province. Provision was not made in this Bill for the payment of the expenses of the President and Members of the Legislative Council, no precedent for such provision being found in the Journals of the Assembly; the Assembly, moreover, considered that such provision would have been inexpedient and improper.

The loss of the Appropriations of the present Session, is most deeply to be lamented;—great inconvenience will thereby be experienced by such Public Officers as depend upon annual grants, and by all persons who have just claims upon the Treasury; the general improvement of the Country will be arrested, and the usefulness of Institutions of acknowledged public benefit may be most injuriously affected.

Under these unfortunate and discouraging circumstances, I feel assured that Your Excellency will adopt such measures, as to Your Excellency may seem best calculated to avert, or to mitigate, the evils which are now impending over the Province.

The Assembly have also passed a Bill to continue and amend the Acts for raising a Revenue, by the operation of which a sufficient sum will be received into the Treasury, to have carried the Appropriation Bill into full effect.

This Bill I now present to Your Excellency, on behalf of His Majesty's faithful and loyal Subjects the Commons of New Brunswick, and pray Your Excellency's assent thereto.

That His Excellency was then pleased to give His assent to the Bill presented by the House, under the Title of

A Bill to continue and amend the Laws for raising a Revenue in this Province:

And also to the following:—

A Bill to repeal all the Laws now in force, for regulating, laying out and repairing the Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways, in the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same:

A Bill to regulate Tavern Keepers and Retailers:

A Bill, intituled "An Act to authorize the enlargement of the Sittings of the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Courts of Common Pleas in this Province:"

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to amend an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal an Act passed in the fiftieth year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled 'An Act to declare the qualifications of Church Wardens and Vestrymen in the several Parishes in this Province, and of the persons having voices in their election, and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews:'"

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled, "An Act for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping disorderly Houses:"

A Bill to alter the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Gloucester:

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same;" and also, "An Act to amend the Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John:"

A Bill further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the trespasses therein mentioned, in the City of Saint John:

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act in addition to and in amendment of an Act, intituled 'An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act authorizing the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City:'"

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A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose:"

A Bill for prohibiting and suppressing of Lotteries in this Province:

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland:'"

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the rates and fares to be taken for the Cartage and Truckage of Goods in the several Towns throughout the Province, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt:"

A Bill to alter the Boundary Line between certain Parishes in the County of Westmorland:

A Bill, intituled "An Act to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council:"

A Bill, intituled "An Act to declare all Acts of Assembly to be public Acts:"

A Bill to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, and an Act, intituled 'An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in the said Parish:'"

A Bill to erect the South Western part of the Parish of Richibucto into a separate and distinct Parish:

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to assess the inhabitants of the Parish of Grand Manan, for the erection of a Lock-up-House in the said Parish:

A Bill to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a Public Boom for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber on the Nashwaak River in the County of York:

A Bill to authorize and empower the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to lease a part of the public landing at Salt Water, in the Parish of Saint Stephen, and to invest the proceeds in making improvements on the premises, and for the support of the Poor of the said Parish:

A Bill for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning, in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish:

A Bill in addition to and in continuation of the Act relating to the Bass Fishery in the County of Northumberland:

A Bill to alter and amend an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal an Act, intituled 'An Act for the better security of the navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester, so far as the same relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the said County of Gloucester:'"

A Bill to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly relating to the surrender of the principal in discharge of Bail:

A Bill to continue an Act to regulate the Law with regard to the course of proceeding on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court:

A Bill to authorise the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province to inspect the Public Accounts:

A Bill to regulate the Fees in Actions, not Summary, in the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, and to restrain the removal of such Actions to the Supreme Court:

A Bill, intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to the Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John:"

A Bill to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic and its branches:

A Bill to alter the division line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York :

A Bill to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County, into a separate and distinct Parish :

A Bill, intituled "An Act to facilitate the examination of Witnesses before Trial in the Supreme Court :"

A Bill, intituled "An Act to define the crime of Forgery :"

A Bill for the appointment of Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires which may happen in that part of the Parish of Saint Stephen commonly called Mill Town, and its immediate vicinity :

A Bill, intituled "An Act to provide for the more convenient administration of justice in the Supreme Court :"

A Bill to regulate the ungranted Ferries in this Province :

A Bill to amend the Law relating to a Summary practice in the Supreme Court :

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester :"

A Bill relating to the Navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy :

A Bill to authorize the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the said City :

A Bill to regulate the Inspection of Dry and Pickled Fish for home consumption and for exportation :

A Bill to authorize an Assessment on the Inhabitants of the County of Charlotte towards paying off the debts due from said County :

A Bill, intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to the exportation of Lumber :"

A Bill to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuit Courts in this Province :

A Bill to continue and amend the Act for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several Counties of this Province :

A Bill to incorporate sundry persons by the name of *The Saint John Bridge Company* : and

A Bill to provide for the Custom House establishment in the Province of New Brunswick, *with a suspending clause.*

And His Excellency was then further pleased to make the following Speech to both Houses :—

"*Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*
"*Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

"HAVING given my assent to all the Bills which you have passed, I have only to express my extreme regret, that I am under the necessity of closing the Session without there being any Appropriations for the year."

That His Honor the President of the Legislative Council then said,

"*Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*
"*Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

"It is His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor's will and pleasure that this General Assembly be prorogued until the third Tuesday in May next, and this General Assembly is accordingly prorogued until the third Tuesday in May, then here to be holden."

REPORT

ON THE LATE

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S ACCOUNTS.

Mr. Partelow made the following Report to the House :—

THE Committee of the late House, to whom were referred the Accounts of the late Attorney General Wetmore, have to report, that the Chairman repaired to Fredericton in the month of August last, when all the Books, Papers and Documents of the late Attorney General, with the Province, were freely placed at his disposal by the Executors; and having had at the same time free access to the various Reports, Accounts and Documents, under the charge of the Clerk of the House of Assembly, the following report is made up therefrom. The Executors had previously furnished the undersigned with a statement made up from the Books, of the late Attorney General, which will be noticed in proper order.

It appears by reference to the Journals of the Session of 1823, that Bonds then remained in the hands of the late Attorney General for collection, amounting to £4,091 3 9

These by his Books have been disposed of, and are accounted for as follows :—

No. 1. Three Bonds signed by Wm. Black and Isaac Woodward, dated in 1813, and received in 1815—proceedings either discontinued or no trial yet had—Cause unknown to your Committee,—Amount	641 0 0	
No. 2. Bonds signed by James and Alex. Robson for £60 10 6, parties absconded—Venditioni Exponas sent to Sheriff Bates, who sold property to Wm. Matthews for £62 0 0, on credit—Attorney General approved of proceedings in 1825. No credit to the Province subsequently appears. Costs, £9 4 3 charged Province by late Attorney General,	60 10 6	
No. 3. Balance of Bond, McDonald and Flaherty,	14 12 5	
No. 4. Six Bonds against Angus M'Intosh, Lands were seized by the Sheriff of Northumberland to satisfy this Execution, but no credit appears for any part of it. Costs to the extent of £12 11 0, in the old account rendered by the late Attorney General in 1822, are charged the Province, and an additional sum of £4 5 3 in the new ac-	133 6 1	
Carried forward,	£849 9 0	£4,091 3 9

Brought forward,	£849	9	0	£4,091	3	9
count furnished by the Executors, making £16 16 3. This debt must be accounted for, with interest and costs.						
No. 5. Angus M'Intosh, Executor of R. Smith, Northumberland,	20	5	3			
Lands were extended upon it appears by the Sheriff, in 1822, to satisfy a Judgment for debt, interest and costs, but no credit appears for it. Costs are charged the Province by the late Attorney General on this Action to the amount of £7 1 0, in account rendered 1822, and 8s. by the Executors in account now furnished. This debt with interest and costs, must also be accounted for.						
No. 6. Thompson and Long, Northumberland,	25	14	0			
This Bond has been paid, and the amount with interest, £26 13 10 is credited the Province in new account.						
No. 7. M'Intosh and Robicheau, Northumberland.	23	13	0			
Goods and Lands were seized to satisfy this debt, but no credit is given for the amount. Costs £17 5 6 are charged the Province. The whole with interest must be accounted for.						
No. 8. Maunsell and M'Elman, Northumberland,	30	15	0			
This Bond has been paid, and the amount with interest and costs, £42 15 3 are credited the Province in new account.						
No. 9. McDonald and Bannerman,	12	16	6			
This Bond has been also paid, and the amount interest and costs, £22 16 5, are credited in new account. The costs are charged by the Attorney General against the Province in account rendered in 1822.						
No. 10. McDonald and Noble, Northumberland,	25	9	4			
Lands were seized upon to satisfy this debt, but it appears no return has been made. The costs £11 8 11, (£6 14 11 in old, and £4 14 0 in new account) are charged the Province. The whole with interest of course are to be accounted for.						
No. 11. Thomas Purdie and Lewis Henry, Northumberland,	58	6	6			
Lands it appears were seized to satisfy this claim, but nothing appears to the credit of the Province, and as with others, no return is stated to have been made by the Sheriff. It remains therefore to be accounted for, together with costs, (£6 12 3 in old account, and £6 17 3 in new account,) as charged by the late Attorney General and Executors, in all £13 10 2, besides interest on the Bond.						
No. 12. Wm. Corry, Junr. and Geo. Taylor, Northumberland,	5	15	4			
Balance of Bond not recovered, 1822. No credit						
Carried forward,	£1,052	3	11	£4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£1,052	3	11	£4,091	3	9

appears for this sum, and it consequently is made a charge against the late Attorney General.

No. 13. E. M'Quilliam and Geo. Henderson, Northumberland,	128	6	6

This Bond is accounted for, £162 3 7, being credited in last account, being the debt including £12 12 9 interest, and £21 4 4 charged the Province in old and new accounts.

No. 14. Thomas Elder and Robert Young, Northumberland, three Bonds,—Amount	100	1	5

No credit is given for these Bonds.

It appears by the late Attorney General's Books, that the Goods of Elder were seized in 1821, value £175 0 0 by the Sheriff, to satisfy the claim, but no return with the proceeds, are made by him.

Costs £11 10 1, (£10 8 1 in old account, and £1 2 0 in new account) are charged the Province. The whole including interest remain to be accounted for.

No. 15. Ben. B. Etter and Wm. Wright, Northumberland,	48	18	6

Land of Etter seized by Sheriff in 1821, and Venditioni Exponas in his Lands, no return made, and no credit given. Costs £12 11 3, (£9 13 3 in old account, and £2 18 0 in new) are charged the Province. This debt with interest and costs remains to be accounted for.

No. 16. Samuel Drinkwater and Robert Young, Northumberland,	145	2	9

This amount, together with Costs, £9 10 9 and £1 15 6 charged in accounts rendered in 1822 and 1833, and £16 5 9 interest, in all £172 14 9 is credited the Province.

No. 17. Alex. Bannerman and Chas. Cameron, Northumberland,	41	11	0

A Writ of Extendi Facias was issued against the parties 6th April, 1822, and lands were seized, but no return. The Sheriff paid over on account £33 6 8, with which the Executors credit the Province in account 1833. Costs are charged against the Province in 1822 and 1833, £9 10 9, and £2 17 6, in all £12 10 3. The balance on this bond, interest and costs remain to be accounted for.

No. 18. Wm. L. Irish and Thos. Wilson, Northumberland,	37	0	6

An extent was issued in 1821, for debt, interest and costs, amounting to £51 2 2, and goods and lands were seized. No return made to the Writ. The sum of £23 0 0 was paid over by the Sheriff in 1825, which is credited by the Executors. Costs in these proceedings to the extent of £10 15 0, are charged the Province. Part of this bond therefore, with interest and the costs, yet to be accounted for.

Carried forward,	£1,553	4	7	£4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£1,553 4 7	£4,091 3 9
No. 19. David Gibson and John Clarke, Northumberland, £191 17 11 Less received by the late Attorney General, and credited in 1822, 100 0 0	91 17 11	
An extent was issued against the Lands and Tenements of the parties for the balance, and they were seized for the same, including interest and costs to the amount of £124 4 7. On account of this it appears £28 15 6 was received by the late Attorney General, from the Sheriff in January, 1823, which is credited the Province, leaving the balance £95 9 1 to be accounted for. Costs £12 4 9 are charged the Province.		
No. 20. Daniel Starr and Benjamin Murdoch, Northumberland, Both represented as absconded. Costs, £12 10 9, are charged against the Province.	33 3 8	
No. 21. B. Murdoch and Robert Young, Northumberland, Lands and Goods were levied upon, and Writs of Venditioni Exponas were placed in the hands of the Sheriff for Debt, Costs and Interest, amounting to £125 13 8 in 1822. On the 31st July in that year it appears that the late Attorney General received from the Sheriff £106 13 4, which the Executors credit, leaving £19 0 4 remaining unaccounted for. The costs £30 8 0, are charged the Province.	85 14 6	
No. 22. Thomas Elder and Jared Betts, Two Bonds,—amount, Goods and Lands were seized to the estimated value of £275, on a Venditioni Exponas for £100 4 2, debt, interest and costs. No return has been made and no Credit given. The costs, £8 4 2, are charged against the Province. The Debt, Interest and Costs remain therefore to be accounted for.	86 12 7	
No. 23. Thomas Elder and John Clarke, Northumberland, A levy on Goods belonging to both parties, to the amount of £250 was made, upon a Writ for debt, interest and costs, amounting to £27 4 3. No return. Costs, £9 4 2 charged in account. All besides Interest must be accounted for.	18 16 11	
No. 24. Thomas Robinson and Nathan Frink, Charlotte, June 1816, It appears by the Attorney General's statement in 1822, that the principal on this bond was an Alien, and that the goods of Mr. Frink, then deceased, had been levied upon but not sold. No proceedings however appear to have been subsequently taken. The costs £8 3 9 are charged the Province. The debt, interest and costs therefore are to be accounted for.	10 0 0	
	£1,879 10 2	£4,091 3 9

Brought forward,	£1,879	10	2	£4,091	3	9
No. 25. Alexander M'Lean and Nathan Frink, Charlotte, Goods and effects to the estimated value of £82 15 were levied upon to satisfy this debt, which amounted with interest and costs to £26 8 4. No credit is given for any part of it. Costs £13 2 0 are charged the Province. The whole remain to be accounted for.	12	0	0			
No. 26. Roberts, Weeks and Marks, Charlotte, This amount with interest and costs £49 19 0 was recovered, and £43 6 0, are credited the Province. The remainder £6 13 must be charged the Attorney General's Estate.	37	0	0			
No. 27. George Sutherland and Ephraim Ward, Charlotte, A Cattle Bond—parties absconded. Costs, £7 4 2 charged the Province.	40	0	0			
No. 28. James M'Lean and John Dunn, Charlotte, The principal, besides interest and costs, £28 6 7 have been recovered, and the sum of £103 9 3 is credited the Province by the Executors. Costs £10 6 charged in account. On the costs, 8s. are overcharged, which will be deducted from the proper account.	75	2	8			
No. 29. Shaw, Rice and Currier, Charlotte, This amount, including costs and interest £60 13 2, is credited the Province. Costs £13 0 4 are charged in account.	42	2	2			
No. 30. Balance due from Thomas Dodd, Saint Peters, 1820, This amount has been recovered, but no credit is given. It must be charged against the Attorney General's Estate, together with costs £9 3 charged by Executors in account, in all £31 2 4.	21	19	4			
No. 31. James Bracket and Forum Dustin, Charlotte, Both parties absconded. Costs of proceedings £8 5 6, charged the Province.	100	0	0			
No. 32. Thos. Dobson and Edward Cutler, Northumberland, This amount has been recovered with interest, and £86 2 4 nett is credited the Province by the Executors.	83	2	0			
No. 33. Warren Hatheway and Charles Hatheway, Charlotte, This amount with costs, £118 0 0 is credited the Province. The costs £6 7 5 are charged.	111	12	7			
No. 34. John Lockhart (no Surety), Charlotte, This was prosecuted to final Judgment, but the Defendant left the Province and went to Nova Scotia. An exemplification of the Judgment was sent to the late Attorney General Uniacke, but nothing appears	14	0	0			
Carried forward,	£2,416	8	11	£4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£2,416	8	11	£4,091	3	9
to have been produced from it. The Province is charged £14 18 11 costs, which have accrued.						
No. 35. Benjamin Murdoch and Thomas Smith, Northumberland,	38	11	3			
Property was taken to satisfy this Claim, and repeated Writs of extents were issued without producing any return. From a memorandum in one of the late Attorney General's Books in the hand writing of his Successor, it would appear that proceedings have been continued since his accession to Office. The debt, costs and interest at the time of the late Attorney General's death, were £68 10 7, of which £8 11 0 the costs are charged the Province.						
No. 36. James Bowden and Francis Peabody, Northumberland,	24	4	2			
Goods and Lands to the estimated value of £380 were levied upon, to satisfy this claim. Repeated Writs were issued, (one of Venditioni Exponas), but no result was produced. In 1824, the Sheriff was ruled to return writ, but nothing appears credited. The costs of these proceedings, £9 1 6, are charged the Province.						
No. 37. Wm. Davidson and Phineas Davidson, Northumberland—Amount,	32	7	9			
Proceedings to final Judgment were taken, and the debt with costs and interest amounted to £46 0 9. On account of this £41 6 8 was received 5th October, 1825, and is credited the Province. Costs £10 6 0 are charged, £1 16 0 of which are for proceedings against the Sheriff for rules to return writ.						
No. 38. Wm. Davidson and Richard Simonds, Northumberland,	37	5	1			
Like proceedings were taken in this suit. Lands were levied upon, and a writ of Venditioni for £47 11 2 was issued in 1822. In 1825, credit for £44 0 0 is given the Province, leaving £3 11 2 due the Province, besides interest, costs; £9 3 0 are charged in account.						
No. 39. Thos. Pemberton and Geo. Henderson, Northumberland,	11	14	2			
Like proceedings were had in this suit. Lands to the estimated value of £100 per annum were levied upon, and a writ of Venditioni fee £23 13 11, including costs and interest, was issued in 1822, but although repeated rules upon the Sheriff were made, there appears to have been no return. Costs £9 4 0 and 38s. for proceedings against the Sheriff, in all, £11 2 0 are charged the Province.						
No. 40. George Henderson (no Surety,) Northumberland,	11	9	0			
Similar proceedings were taken in this suit. A Venditioni for £21 17 7, including costs and interest,						
Carried forward,	£2,572	0	4	£4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£2,572	0	4	£4,091	3	9
was issued in 1822, but no return has been made. Costs £10 0 3 are charged the Province.						
No. 41. Geo. Henderson and A. Goodfellow. Northumberland,	34	1	0			
Like proceedings were taken in this Suit. A writ of Venditioni for £47 5 6 was issued in 1822, but no return was made. Costs, £10 5 6 are charged the Province.						
No. 42. Geo. Henderson and Ward McDonald, Northumberland,	27	1	8			
The same remarks will apply in this case. The writ of Venditioni was for £41 1 11. Costs £11 17 0 are charged the Province, of which 38s. are for proceedings against the Sheriff.						
No. 43. Wm. Gray and George Henderson, Northumberland,	25	1	0			
The same in every respect. The writ of Venditioni was for £39 15 6. Costs £11 2 0 are charged the Province.						
No. 44. Phineas Davidson and Alex. Davidson, Northumberland,	11	16	6			
This was prosecuted to final Judgment. A writ of Venditioni for £21 8 10 was issued in 1822, and £20 received on account in 1825, which is at the credit of the Province. Costs £9 3 6 are charged on account.						
No. 45. Harvey, Adams, and Wm. Fiddes, Northumberland,	27	17	0			
The debt, costs and interest £39 15 2 have been recovered in this Suit, and the amount is credited by the Executors. The costs £9 15 9, charged.						
No. 46. Geo. N. Russel, and Francis Peabody, Northumberland,	123	10	7			
This suit was prosecuted to final Judgment, and a Venditioni for £135 0 2 was issued to sell lands taken of the estimated annual value of £200. No return appears to have been made. £300 is credited in account November 17, 1822, as paid by C. Simonds, Esquire, it is presumed to satisfy this Execution as well as some others, and notice will be taken of it hereafter. The costs £9 1 6 are charged.						
No. 47. John G. Leggett, and George Henderson, Northumberland,	16	9	2			
Proceedings to final Judgment were taken in this Suit, and in 1822, a Writ of Venditioni for £28 18 9 was issued to sell Lands. No return appears to have been made; £11 2 0 for costs are charged the Province.						
No. 48. Wm. Bannerman, and John Clarke, Northumberland,	24	7	0			
Like proceedings were taken in this Suit, and in 1822 a Writ of Venditioni for £35 14 5 was issued but						
Carried forward,	£2,862	4	3	£4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£2,862	4	3	£4,091	3	9
nothing appears to have been returned. Costs £9 12 3 are charged the Province.						
No. 49. John T. Williston, and Francis Peabody, Northumberland,	21	13	8			
The same remarks will apply to this case. The Venditioni was for £32 4 8. No return. Costs £9 1 6 charged the Province.						
No. 50. F. Peabody, and R. Simonds, 5 Bonds, Northumberland,	328	5	9			
Proceedings to final Judgment were taken in this case. Lands levied upon and a Writ of Venditioni for £399 7 was issued including costs and interest. The Executors credit £380 as received on account, leaving £19 7 yet to be accounted for. Costs £10 8 charged the Province.						
No. 51. F. Peabody, and John Clarke, 4 Bonds, Northumberland,	161	7	2			
Like proceedings were taken in this case. The Venditioni was for £180 17 11, on account of which £24 was received and is credited in 1822. Balance due £156 17 11. Costs £10 17 0 are charged in account.						
No. 52. A. M'Intosh and John Atchison, Northumberland,	21	12	10			
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Parties or one of them confined to Gaol, finally released by the Legislature. Costs £15 8 6 charged in account.						
No. 53. Geo. Raymond and Chas. Raymond, St. John, two Bonds,	34	0	0			
The amount of debt, costs and interest, £46 3 8 recovered, and is credited the Province. Costs £7 3 5 charged in account.						
No. 54. Wm. Barr, Junr. and Hugh Flaherty, St. John,	46	4	6			
Proceedings were taken on this Bond in November, 1821, and on the 25th February following, the interest being £6 2 6, the Bond including it was £52 7 0, exclusively of costs. On that day it appears that the Defendants paid £50 0 0 on account, which is credited the Province. Still proceedings went on, and the costs to final Judgment were £7 3 5, making £9 10 5, for which it appears no extent was issued. The costs are charged the Province.						
No. 55. R. Robertson and C. Herring, St. John,	42	18	7			
This was prosecuted to final Judgment, and the debt, costs and interest £53 19 2 are credited the Province. Costs £7 3 5 charged						
No. 56. Wm. McDonald and John M'Clure, St. John,	69	9	0			
This also was recovered with costs and interest, and the amount £83 3 5, is credited the Province. Costs, £7 3 5 charged.						
Carried forward,	£3,587	15	9	£4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£3,587	15	9	4,091	3	9
No. 57. Wm. McDonald and S. McDonald, St. John, two Bonds, This was recovered without being prosecuted to final Judgment, and the amount is credited the Province.	86	18	9			
No. 58. Wm. Milne and Geo. Henderson, Northumberland, Proceedings to final Judgment were taken on this Bond, and a writ of Venditioni for £37 1 9 was issued in 1823, but no return was made. Costs £10 18 3 are charged the Province.	23	15	6			
No. 59. Matthew Richey and Sam. Russell, Northumberland, This was prosecuted to final Judgment, and the amount including interest and costs £34 14 9 is credited by the Executors in account, and costs £9 18 9 are charged by them. On the costs they have overcharged 7s.	23	7	2			
No. 60. Geo. Blair, and John Patterson, Charlotte, two Bonds, These amounts, together with costs and interest, were recovered, and £68 7 2 is credited the Province. Costs £7 18 are charged in account.	53	17	6			
No. 61. John Patterson, and William Taylor, Charlotte, This Bond was recovered, and the amount, together with costs and interest, £32 1 1 is credited the Province. Costs £8 6 0 are charged, 8s. of which is ruling the Sheriff, not included in the £32 1 1.	21	9	5			
No. 62. John Patterson, (no Surety,) Charlotte, 3 Bonds, The same in this case. The Province is credited with £155 14 10, in two Sums £152 1 3, and £3 13 7, and the costs, £8 15 11 are charged.	128	8	9			
No. 63. Wm. Chapman, and John M'Leod, Charlotte, Proceedings were had in this case to final Judgment. M'Leod could not be found. Chapman resided in Cornwallis, Nova Scotia. Exemplification of Judgment £62 11 1 sent to Attorney General of Nova Scotia, November, 1824. No return. Costs £12 15 4 charged in account.	39	16	3			
No. 64. Robert Stirling, and John Patterson, Charlotte, Collected with costs and interest, and the amount £32 12 9 credited the Province. Costs £8 16 charged in account.	23	8	0			
No. 65. John Patterson, and Daniel M'Lean, Charlotte, The like remarks will apply to this case. The amount credited the Province is £21 19 2, and the costs charged are £8 18 6.	12	13	4			
Carried forward,	£4,001	10	5	4,091	3	9

Brought forward,	£4,001 10 5	£4,091 3 9	
No. 66. John Patterson, and John Wilson, Charlotte. The same remarks are applicable to this case. The Province is credited with £47 18 8, and is charged with costs, £8 1 6.	36 14 4		
No. 67. John Patterson, and A. M'Donald, Charlotte, The same in every respect. The sum of £40 9 6 is credited by the Executors, and £8 6 0 costs charged.	28 14 0		
No. 68. Robert Sterling, (no surety) Charlotte, The like in every respect. The sum credited the Province is £34 13, and costs charged £7 16 9.	24 5 0		
	£4,091 3 9	£4,091 3 9	

The above accounts for the proceedings had on the Securities to the Province, held by the late Attorney General, when his last Account was stated and audited in the Session of 1823; and your Committee now proceed to his subsequent transactions with the Province, arising out of Bonds sent to him for collection by the Treasurer and Deputy Treasurers and the proceedings which have taken place.

1822.

By the Provincial Accounts referred to by your Committee, it appears that in this year there were sent to him—

By the Treasurer of St. John, Bonds amounting to	£79 1 6	
" the Deputy Treasurer, Northumberland,	1,050 18 8	
" the Deputy Treasurer, Charlotte	917 17 1	
		£2,047 17 3

Proceedings on them were taken as follow:—

SAINT JOHN.

No. 1. George Coats and William Barr, two Bonds, This together with costs and interest was recovered, and the amount £83 8 0 is carried to the credit of the Province. Costs £2 15 6 are charged in account.		79 1 6	

NORTHUMBERLAND.

No. 2. John Ashton and Alex. Davidson, Proceedings to final Judgment were had in this suit. Two Extents were issued, the last in May, 1825, for £233 13 2. On the 9th March, 1828, the sum of £217 1 6 was received, and is credited the Province. Costs £9 10 9 are charged. On this Bond, besides £15 17 2 remaining on the Extent, the interest for nearly three years on the whole debt is due.	193 13 5		
Carried forward,	£193 13 5	£79 1 6	£2,047 17 3

Brought forward,	£193 13 5	£79 1 6	£2,047 17 3
No. 3. James Abbott and Tho. Smith, This, with interest, has been recovered, and the amount £254 12 9 is credited the Province. No costs charged.	238 14 6		
No. 4. Alex. Davidson and P. Davidson, The same with regard to this Case. The amount credited for debt, interest and costs is £152 19 6. The costs £8 16 6 are charged.	132 7 0		
No. 5. Thos. Smith and Jas. Abbott, Proceedings to final Judgment were had on this Bond. Writs of Extent were issued. The Sheriff was ruled several times. Two sums were received on account making £191 14 7, which are credited the Province. The last extent was issued 22d July, 1823, after the above payments were made, and was for £141 5 7, which, with interest, remains to be accounted for. The costs £9 18 11 are charged the Province.	314 19 3		
No. 6. Alex. Davidson and Alex. Fraser, This Bond with costs and interest was recovered, and the amount £97 13 4 is credited. Costs £7 4 10 are charged.	82 19 0		
No. 7. Alex. Davidson and James Ledden, The same remarks will apply to this case. The amount credited the Province is £98 15 4, and the costs charged £7 11 4	88 5 6		
		£1,050 18 8	
CHARLOTTE			
No. 8. Gilbert Ormsley and Wm. Morehouse, This Bond was prosecuted to final Judgment. Ormsley not in the Province; Morehouse at or near Digby, N. Scotia. An Exemplification of the Judgment was sent in November, 1824, to the Attorney General of N. Scotia, but there appears no return. The debt, costs and interest were then £303 11 1. The Costs £8 12 5 are charged the Province.	262 15 0		
No. 9. John Paterson and E. F. Sinclair, This Bond was prosecuted to final Judgment, and proceedings were order-	244 16 6		
Carried forward,	£507 11 6	£1,130 0 2	£2,047 17 3

Brought forward,				£507	11	6	1,130	0	2	2,047 17 3
ed to be stayed by the President of the Province in 1824. Costs £8 1 11 charged the Province.										
No. 10. J. Patterson and John Chaffey,	£91	11	7							
J. Burns and John Patterson,	134	15	0							
J. Hilton and John Patterson,	6	16	8							
J. Patterson and P. Lefevre,	33	14	0							
				266	17	3				
These Bonds were recovered with costs, and the amount £301 9 3 is credited the Province. Costs £34 12 0 are charged.										
No. 11. A. Leslie and J. Thompson,				10	0	0				
This was recovered with costs and interest, and £17 15 0 is credited the Province. The costs £7 5 0 are charged,										
No. 12. D. Hamilton and J. T. Johnston,				41	5	0				
This Bond was prosecuted to final Judgment, but nothing recovered. One party not to be found, and the other residing at Lubec, U. S. in indigent circumstances. Costs £8 13 9 are charged the Province.										
No. 13. A. Cavan, and George Hunter,				94	3	4				
This Bond was recovered and the amount with interest and costs £110 4 4 is credited the Province. Costs £8 0 11 are charged in account							£919	17	1	£2,047 17 3

1823.

By the Provincial Accounts for this year, it appears that there were forwarded to to the late Attorney General for collection.

By the Treasurer, St. John,	555	13	4½				
" Deputy Treasurer, Charlotte,	644	10	0				
" Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi,	91	11	3				
" Deputy Treasurer, Richibucto,	107	10	0				
" Deputy Treasurer, Fredericton,	20	0	0				
				£1419	4	7½	

These are accounted for as follow :—

SAINT JOHN.

No. 1. J. Kinnear, and George Pidgeon,				320	16	10½	
Recovered with interest and costs, and							
Carried forward,				£320	16	10½	4,419 4 7½

Brought forward,	£320	16	10½	———			£1,419	4	7½
the amount £335 7 4, is credited the Province. The costs £5 10 4 are charged.									
No. 2. J. Kinnear, and A. S. Ritchie,	52	19	0						
Recovered with interest, and the amount £56 18 5 is credited the Province. Costs £2 1 2 are charged. This is incorrect. Bond and interest due only being credited.									
No. 3. Joe Brand, and Samuel Garrison,	95	9	6						
Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £112 5 9 is credited the Province. Costs £7 are charged in-account.									
No. 4. Wm. Harris, and Thos. Reed,	55	1	0						
The same remarks will apply to this case. The amount credited is £66 1 6 and costs, charged £7 8 6.									
No. 5. Isaac Garrison and Joe Brand,	31	7	0						
The same in every respect. The amount credited is £43 3 8, and costs charged £8 7 6.	———			555	13	4½			
CHARLOTTE.									
No. 6, John Wilson and George Rasor,	504	3	4						
The same remarks applicable to this case. The amount credited is £578 17 7, and costs charged £6 4 9,									
No. 7. A. Leslie and S. Peavey, Junr.	17	0	0						
The same in every respect. The amount credited is £27 7 3. Costs charged £8 7 3.									
No. 8. William Harvey and John Harvey.	51	6	8						
The same as the last. The amount credited is £63 12 8. Costs charged £8 9 0,									
No. 9. S. Peavey, Jr. and J. Currier,	20	0	0						
The same in every respect. The amount credited is £28 8 3. Costs charged £9 1 9. There is an overcharge of costs in this suit of £1 13 6.									
No. 10. T. Briggs and M. Fletcher,	52	0	0						
Bond prosecuted to final Judgment. No effects. Both absconded. Costs £8 4 9 charged in account,	———			644	10	0			
Carried forward,				£1,200	3	4½	£1,419	4	7½

Brought forward,		£1,200 3 4¼	1,419 4 7½
MIRAMICHI.			
No. 11. Robert Caie and John Wright, Recovered with costs and interest, and the amount £23 7 11 credited the Province. Costs £7 1 3 are charged in account,	14 11 0		
No. 12. J. Coughlan and J. Sewell, The same remarks applicable to this case. Amount credited £25 9 6. Costs charged £8 7 6.	15 15 0		
No. 12½. J. Wright and R. Ledgertwood The same in every respect. The amount credited is £20 16 3. Costs charged £8 9 3.	11 7 0		
No. 13. W. Burnie and Geo. Johnston, The same in every respect. Amounts credited £61 2 5. Costs charged £8 9 3,	49 18 3	91 11 3	
RICHIBUCTO.			
No. 14. Maunsell and M'Guire and J. Long, The same remarks will apply to this case. The amount credited is £128 17 8. Costs charged £10 1 3.		107 10 0	
FREDERICTON.			
No. 15. Tho. Bois and J. M'Bean, This amount was recovered, and is credited the Province. Costs £6 17 6 are charged, which must be incorrect.		20 0 0	
			£1,419 4 7½

1824.

By the Provincial accounts of this year, it appears that Bonds were only sent by the Deputy Treasurer at Miramichi to the Attorney General for collection, and they amounted to £545 4 10

They are accounted for as follows :—

No. 1. J. MacNamara and L. Fitzpatrick, Proceedings were had to final Judgment in this case. Lands were seized of the estimated yearly value of £10, but nothing appears to have been received, Costs £6 11 6 are charged to the Province.	34 14 0	
No. 2. William Ledden and John Ledden, Proceedings to final Judgment were taken in this case, and in 1826, the costs £8 12 8 are charged to the Province. There is no credit given for any thing received on account, neither does it appear that any Venditioni Exponas was sent to the She-	53 17 2	
	£88 11 2	545 4 10

Brought forward,	£88 11 2	545 4 10
riff on their goods and lands. It would seem that the proceedings had been stopped. Enquiry must be made respecting this.		
No. 3. W. Burnie and John Clarke, Recovered with costs and interest, and the amount £69 10 0 is credited the Province. Costs £10 0 7 are charged in account.	57 11 11	
No. 4. B. Salter and W. Ledden, Recovered and credited in account: no costs charged.	7 1 3	
No. 5. Chas. Miles and Patrick Henderson, Proceedings to final Judgment were taken in this case, and at different times, money was paid to the Attorney General to the amount of £170 0 0, which is credited the Province. The balance due with interest and costs, May 1827, was £278 12 3, for which an extent then issued.—No return. Costs £22 4 3 charged in account,	392 0 6	
	———	£545 4 10

1825.

By the Provincial accounts for this year, it appears that there were sent for collection—

By the Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi, Bonds amounting to	£354 17 10
" " Richibucto "	208 8 9¾
	£563 6 7¾

They are accounted for as follow:—

MIRAMICHI.

No. 1. Charles Mills and Patrick Henderson, Prosecuted to final Judgment. A Venditioni Exponas for £61 3 3, was issued in May, 1827, but no return. Costs £9 14 3 are charged the Province.	47 16 3	
No. 2. C. Mills and Alex. Davidson, The like remarks are applicable to this case. The Venditioni was issued May, 1827, for £150 14 4. No return. Costs £9 16 6 are charged the Province.	133 11 7	
No. 3. B. Salter and N. Ritchie, Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £116 5 10 is credited the Province. Costs £9 14 3 are charged	100 5 6	
No. 4. John Robson and W. Saunders, Prosecuted to final Judgment. A Venditioni for £61 15 9 was issued	50 0 6	
Carried forward,	£331 13 10	563 6 7¾

Brought forward,	£331 13 10	———	£563 6 7¾
May 1827. No return. Costs £8 14 3 charged in account.			
No. 5. John Mulhall, and Thos. Abbott,	23 4 0		
Proceedings were taken on this Bond, and it appears that the Sheriff was ruled to return the Writ, but nothing is produced. No costs are charged,	———	354 17 10	
RICHIBUCTO.			
No. 6. Maunsell and M'Guire and Jas. Mooney,	141 3 3		
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Lands seized. A Venditioni was issued 4th May 1827, for debt, interest and costs, £172 0 9. No return. Costs £10 15 3 are charged the Province.			
No. 7. Jas. Mooney, and Maunsell and M'Guire,	24 8 0		
The same remarks applicable to this case. The Venditioni was issued at the same time, and was for £37 0 5. Costs £10 15 3 are charged in account.			
No. 8. Maunsell, and M'Guire and Jas. Mooney,	42 17 6¾	£208 8 9¾	
The same in every respect as the two last. The Venditioni was for £57 16 4. No return. Costs £10 19 9 are charged in account,	———	———	£563 6 7¾

1826.

The Provincial Accounts for this year shew, that there were sent for collection to the Attorney General.

By the Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi, Bonds amounting to	£1382 6 2
" " Richibucto,	823 18 8
	£2,206 4 10

They are thus accounted for

MIRAMICHI.

No. 1. Lewis Henry, and Thos. Vendry,	135 15 6		
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Venditioni issued 31st Dec. 1827, for £177 8 9. No return. Costs £8 18 9 are charged the Province.			
No. 2. Thomas Tyffe and Lewis Henry,	14 16 6		
Similar proceedings were taken in this case. Extent issued for £26 0			
	£150 12 0	———	£2,206 4 10

Brought forward,	£150 12 0	£2,206 4 10
11. No return. Costs £7 17 9 charged in account.		
No. 3. R. M'Laughlin and Isaac Paley, The like remarks will apply to this case. Venditioni issued Dec. 1827, for £179 4 0. No return. Costs £8 18 9 charged the Province.	141 11 1	
No. 4. R. M'Laughlin and F. Peabody, two Bonds, The like remarks will apply to this case. On the 15th July, 1828, it appears that the Bonds were handed over to Mr. Parker, then acting Attorney General, with a statement of the debt, interest and costs, which amounted to £52 3 10. This will be accounted for by him. Costs £8 9 6 charged the Province.	37 19 0	
No. 5. Andrew Clarke and John Clarke, Similar proceedings were had in this case. Venditioni issued 31st Dec. 1827, for £59 12 1. No return. Costs £8 11 9 are charged the Province.	43 12 1	
No. 6. Wm. Sharp and Alex. Davidson, Prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent issued for £30 8 11, August 1st, 1827. On the 10th March following, credit is given for £25 received on account, leaving £5 8 11, besides interest due. Costs £8 6 9 are charged the Province.	19 11 6	
No. 7. Robert Long and Wm. Ledden, Prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent issued August 1827, for £29 6 0. No return. Costs £8 5 9 charged the Province.	20 7 11	
No. 8. John Clarke and Christopher Clarke, The like remarks applicable to this case. Lands were seized. Venditioni issued Dec. 1827 for £106 13 7. No return. Costs £8 12 9 charged the Province.	87 3 0	
No. 9. Wm. Ledden and Jas. Ledden, The same in every particular. Venditioni issued Dec. 31, 1827, for	16 6 8	
Carried forward,	£517 3 3	£2,206 4 10

Brought forward,	£517 3 3	———	£2,206 4 10
£26 17 3. No return. Costs £8 14 9 charged the Province.			
No. 10. Wm. Ledden and Alex. Davidson,	141 15 0		
The like in every respect. Venditioni issued same time for £159 19 1. No return. Costs £8 6 9 charged in account.			
No. 11. William, Cunard Alex. Davidson, and J. Saunders, 105 14 0			
A. Davidson and John Saunders, 173 12 5			
	279 6 5		
The like remarks will apply to these Bonds. Venditioni issued same time for £351 12 8. No return. Costs £8 14 3 charged the Province.			
No. 12. Alex. Davidson, and Jas. Abbott,	187 0 2		
The same in every respect. Venditioni 31st December, 1827, for £231 1 0. No return. Costs £8 17 9 charged in account.			
No. 13. Alex. Davidson and Jas. Ledden,	77 4 1		
In every particular the same. Venditioni for £97 3 6. No return. Costs £8 14 9 charged the Province.			
No. 14. Alex. Davidson and Lewis Henry,	154 5 6		
The like in every respect. Venditioni for £192 6 5. No return. Costs £8 14 9 charged.			
No. 15. Lewis Henry and R. S. Clarke,	25 11 9		
Recovered with costs and interest, and the amount £42 0 8 is credited the Province. Costs £8 7 9 are charged in account,	———	1,382 6 2	
RICHIBUCTO.			
No. 16. Thos. Powell and Jas. Hutchinson,	63 18 8		
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent issued for £78 2 4. No return. Costs £9 1 3 charged the Province.			
No. 17. Thos. Powell and B. M. Goldsmith,	383 9 4		
The same remarks will apply to this			
Carried forward,	£447 8 0	1,382 6 2	2,206 4 10

Brought forward,	£447 8 0	1,382 6 2	2,206 4 10
case. Venditioni for £439 0 3, issued May, 1827. No return.			
No. 18. B. M. Goldsmith and Thos. Powell,	376 10 8		
The same in every respect. Venditioni issued same date for £441 11 10. No return. Costs in these two actions £19 9 10 charged the Province. Credit is given for £17 18 4 as having been received on account.		£823 18 8	2,206 4 10

1827.

The Provincial Accounts for this year shew that there were sent to the Attorney General for collection

By the Treasurer Saint John, Bonds amounting to	622 0 0	
" Deputy Treasurer Miramichi,	1,115 6 0	
" " " St. Andrews,	1,102 19 8	
" " " Fredericton,	15 0 0	
		2,855 5 8

They are thus accounted for—

SAINT JOHN.

No. 1. Chas. Raymond and Thos. Raymond,	132 2 6	
Recovered with costs and interest, and the amount £164 18 9 is credited the Province. Costs £6 13 6 charged in account.		
No. 2. Chas. Raymond and Wm. Austen,	27 5 10	
Proceedings were had in this case, and it appears that the amount of debt and costs £32 15 11 had been forwarded to Sheriff White, who no doubt received and paid it over to the Attorney General. No credit however appears for it in the account currrent. The costs £2 4 7 are charged the Province.		
No. 3. Robt. Stirling and Alex. Simpson,	27 9 0	
Prosecuted to final Judgment, and by the late Attorney General's Books it appears that in 1827, the Writ was returned satisfied. The parties were Merchants in Saint John, but it would seem by the last entry, that the extent was sent to Northumberland. No credit appears for the amount £37 13 7, and the estate must be held liable. Costs £10 18 3 are charged the Province,		
Carried forward,	£186 17 4	£2,855 5 8

Brought forward,		£186	17	4	2,855	5 8
part of which £3 8 9 must be incorrect.						
No. 4. John Owens and Wm. Lawton,		29	9	6		
Recovered with interest and the amount £32 2 6 credited. No costs charged.						
No. 5. John Owens and E. J. Budd,		39	7	3		
The same in every respect. The amount credited is £42 16 1.						
No. 6. Robert Sterling and Wm. Austen,		11	7	6		
Prosecuted to final Judgment, but nothing received. One party left the Country, and the other in very needy circumstances. Costs £5 6 1 charged the Province.						
No. 7. Geo. Pagan and Thomas Robson,		18	8	7		
Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £30 12 0 credited the Province. Costs £4 5 3 charged in account.						
No. 8. George Coats and Wm. Barr, Junr.		51	4	6		
Proceedings were taken on this Bond, but nothing recovered. Both parties unable to pay. Costs £3 8 8 are charged the Province.						
No. 9. Wm. Barr and Hy. Gault,	£14 17 6					
Wm. Barr and Saml. Stephen,	35 7 0					
		50	4	6		
Recovered with interest and the amount £54 9 5 is credited the Province. No costs charged.						
No. 10. T. M. Smith, H. M. Gault and Jas. Leavitt,		27	8	8		
Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £32 6 10 is credited the Province. Costs £2 8 10 charged.						
No. 11. Charles Raymond and W. Austen,		53	17	0		
The same in every respect. The amount credited the Province is £66 1 7, and costs charged are £5 10 0.						
No. 12. Thos. Nisbet and Jas. Robertson,		11	16	3		
Prosecuted to final Judgment, Feb. 1828. No further proceedings ap-						
Carried forward,		£480	1	1	£2,855	5 8

Brought forward,	£480	1	1				£2,855	5	8
pear to have been taken. Costs £6 5 3 charged the Province. The Estate must be held liable for this.									
No. 13. W. Strickland and A. Crookshank,	13	10	7						
Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £17 6 2 is credited the Province. Costs £2 5 10 are charged in account.									
No. 14. W. Strickland and R. Summers,	28	2	6						
The same in every respect. The amount credited is £32 18 11, and of costs charged £2 5 10.									
No. 15. Thos. Nisbet and R. Stirling,	18	7	6						
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Nothing received by late Attorney General. Costs £7 3 10 are charged the Province.									
No. 16. H. Gault and W. Gilbert,	81	18	4						
Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £88 4 8 is credited the Province. Costs £8 3 10 are charged, from which must be deducted £2 5 10, an evident overcharge.				622	0	0			
MIRAMICHI.									
No. 17. W. Saunders and John Robson,	37	12	2						
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent for £48 7 1 issued. Returned Feb. 1828. Robson *Non. Est.* Saunders in custody. Nothing recovered. Costs £6 12 3 charged the Province.									
No. 18. John Anderson and Jas. Saunders,	27	14	7						
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Venditioni for £41 12 0 issued. No return. Costs £9 14 3 charged the Province.									
No. 19. W. Saunders (no Surety),	18	3	0						
The same in every respect. Extent for £26 16 3 issued. Goods seized, but nothing paid over—Bond delivered Mr. Parker, acting Attorney General in 1828. Costs £6 10 3 charged the Province.									
No. 20. W. Saunders and Alex. Saunders,	16	1	7						
Carried forward,	£99	11	4				£2,855	5	8

Brought forward,	£99 11 4	£2,855 5 8
In every particular the same. Extent issued for £23 18 4. Nothing recovered by the late Attorney General. Bond delivered Mr. Parker. Costs £6 18 3 charged the Province.		
No. 21. Jas. Abbot and Jared Betts,	30 1 7	
The like remarks applicable to this case. Extent for £41 14 6. No return. Costs £7 10 1 charged the Province.		
No. 22. Jas. Abbot and W. Crane,	52 2 0	
Recovered with interest, and the amount £54 8 10 is credited the Province. No costs are charged.		
No. 23. W. Ledden and John Ledden	22 18 8	
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent issued for £32 14 6. Nothing paid over. Costs £7 3 1 charged the Province.		
No. 24, Wm. Fiddes and R. Legertwood,	56 19 10½	
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Property seized, and Venditioni issued for £74 14 9. No return. Costs £8 9 9 charged in account.		
No. 25. John Martin and Wm. Fiddes,	12 12 9	
The same in every respect. Extent issued for £22 2 10. No return. Costs £7 10 1 charged in account.		
No. 26. Alex. Rankin and Lewis Henry,	274 14 0	
This Bond put in Suit by late Attorney General, but not prosecuted to final Judgment in consequence of his death occurring shortly after the suit commenced. Costs of proceedings £2 18 11 charged the Province.		
No. 27. Wm. Abrams and Lewis Henry,	204 8 1	
The same in every respect. Costs £3 0 5 charged in account. On account of this Bond the Executors credit as having received £46 6 1.		
No. 28. John Davidson and Jas. Abbott,	31 14 0	
Recovered with interest and the amount £32 13 0 is credited the Province. No costs charged.		
Carried forward,	£785 2 3½	£2,855 5 8

Brought forward,	£785	2	3½				£2,855	5	8
No. 29. Matthew Byrne and J. L. Saunders, Prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent issued for £36 16 8. No return made. Bond delivered to Mr. Parker. No costs charged.	31	0	6						
No. 30. John Furlong, Robert Caie and Martin Cranney, The same with regard to this case. Nothing received. Extent issued for £36 3 4. Costs £7 6 9 charged in account.	27	8	1						
No. 31. A. P. Henderson and Patrick Henderson, The same in every particular. Extent issued for £38 10 0. Nothing received. Costs £6 14 10 charged in account.	29	14	6½						
No. 32. P. Henderson and A. P. Henderson, The like in every respect. Extent issued for £74 9 1. Nothing received. Costs £6 14 6 charged in account.	63	11	10						
No. 33. Wm. Letson, Leonard Hawbolt and Francis Peabody, In every particular the same. Extent issued for £108 8 5. Nothing received. Costs £7 0 9 charged.	91	2	1						
No. 34. Wm. Letson, L. Hawbolt and J. Paley, The same in every respect. Extent issued for £31 8 1. Nothing received. Costs £7 0 9 charged in account.	22	3	0						
No. 35. L. Hawbolt, W. Letson and J. Paley, The same in every respect. Extent issued for £76 8 9. Nothing credited. Costs £7 0 9 charged the Province.	65	3	8						
				1,115	6	0			
CHARLOTTE.									
No. 36. Colin Campbell and R. Huddleston, Junr. In every particular like the last. Extent issued for £66 12 6. Nothing recovered. Costs £8 6 6 charged in account. Bond delivered Mr. Parker.	52	15	7						
No. 37. R. Huddleston, Junr. and W. M'Lean,	103	10	6						
Carried forward,	£156	6	1	1,115	6	0	2,855	5	8

Brought forward,	£156 6 1	1,115 6 0	2,855 5 8
The same in every respect. Extent issued for £121 12 10, nothing received. Costs £8 6 6 charged in account. Bond delivered Mr. Parker.			
No. 38. Maxwell Rankin and Jas. Thompson,	11 0 0		
The same in this case. Extent issued for £20 2 6. Nothing recovered. Costs £8 7 9 charged in account. Bond delivered Mr. Parker.			
No. 39. Thos. Turner and Richard Turner,	76 10 8		
Prosecuted to final Judgment, and £66 received on account which is credited the Province. The residue with costs and interest remains to be accounted for. Costs £8 5 9 charged in account.			
No. 40. Jas. Frink and C. Currey, 19 0 5			
Jas. Frink and Wm. Porter, 33 5 6	52 5 11		
These Bonds were prosecuted to final Judgment. The first (with interest 26s. 7d. June 1827, and costs £5 8 9) amounted then to £25 15 9. The second (with interest to July, 1827, 41s. 9d., and costs 8 7 9,) amounted to £43 15 0, in all £69 10 9. On account of these Bonds credit is given for two sums of £20 0 0 each as received from Mr. Frink, which leaves £29 10 9 yet to be accounted for. Costs on the two actions £13 16 6 are charged to the Province.			
No. 41. N. Marks and G. F. Campbell,	147 19 10		
Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £157 6 4 is credited the Province. Costs £6 17 6 are charged.			
No. 42. N. Marks and Benjamin Babb,	230 8 4		
Prosecuted to final Judgment. Debt, interest and costs amounted to £240 15 10. On account of this, payments were made to the extent of £191 3 8 which are credited in account. Leaving a balance due including costs but without adding interest of £49 12 2. Costs £8 3 6 are charged in account.			
Carried forward,	£674 10 10	1,115 6 0	2,855 5 8

Brought forward,	£674 10 10	1,737 6 0	2,855 5 8
No. 43. Sam. Watts and M. Rankin, Recovered with interest and costs, and the amount £8 0 7 credited the Province. Costs £2 5 6 are charged.	5 1 0		
No. 44. Thos. Shannon and Sam. Watts, The same in every respect. The amount credited is £13 9 6. Costs charged £2 5 6.	10 0 0		
No. 45. D. D. Morrison and Sam. Watts, The like in every particular. Amount credited is £28 13 6. Costs charged £2 5 6.	24 0 0		
No. 46. Samuel Watts and Francis Palmer, Proceedings were had on this Bond, and by the Attorney General's Books, it appears they were discontinued. The debt, costs and interest amounted to £49 7 2, but only £30 7 8 is credited the Province. The residue £18 19 6 therefore must be charged against the estate of the late Attorney General. The Costs £2 5 6 are charged.	43 0 0		
No. 47. C. Curry and Wm. Kerr, 2 Bonds, Proceedings were had on these Bonds, but in consequence of the death of the late Attorney General, shortly after their receipt, no Judgment was obtained. They were afterwards handed over to Mr. Parker. Costs £3 10 4 are charged the Province.	243 1 4		
No. 48. C. Curry and Wm. Mabee, The like in every respect. The Bond was handed over to the present Attorney General. Costs £3 9 7 charged the Province.	39 9 10		
No. 49. Robt. Callender and C. Curry, The same in every particular. Costs £3 9 7 charged the Province.	63 16 8	1,102 19 8	
YORK.			
No. 50. James Foster and E. Tompkins, Junr. Prosecuted to final Judgment. No-		15 0 0	
Carried forward,			£2,855 5 8

thing recovered. Bond with present Attorney General. Costs £7 charged the Province.

Besides the above, there appear on the Attorney General's Books, proceedings against Benjamin M. Goldsmith, Samuel M'Kean, and Thomas Powell on a Bond for 300 0 0

It was prosecuted to final Judgment. Extent for penalty £300 and costs £10 2 4 issued. Nothing recovered by him. Costs charged in account, and

Proceedings against B. M. Goldsmith, Deputy Treasurer, Richibucto, for 756 16 1¾

on an acknowledgment of that sum due the Province. Nothing recovered. No costs charged in account.

The above is a history of the transactions in detail, which have occurred between the late Attorney General and the Province, from January, 1822, to February, 1828, the time of his death; and it is now intended to give a summary of the Bonds and Securities which went into his hands during that time, including what remained at the former period—

In January, 1822, balance of Securities then on hand							4,091	3	9
Bonds sent for collection in 1822				-	-	-	2,049	17	3
Do.	"	do.	1823	-	-	-	1,419	4	7½
Do.	"	do.	1824	-	-	-	545	4	10
Do.	"	do.	1825	-	-	-	563	6	7¾
Do.	"	do.	1826	-	-	-	2,206	4	10
Do.	"	do.	1827	-	-	-	2,855	5	8
							£13,730	7	7¼
And Bond against Goldsmith, M'Kean and Powell,							300	0	0
Acknowledged debt from B. M. Goldsmith,							756	16	1¾
						Total—	£14,787	3	9

Of these up to the time of the Attorney General's death, the following do not appear to have been recovered, and, at the same time, the Province is charged with the Costs.

Before 1822,

				Principal.			Costs.		
No. 1. Wm. Black and Isaac Woodward,				£641	0	0	£0	0	0
No. 4. Angus M'Intosh				133	6	1	16	16	3
No. 5. Angus M'Intosh Executor of Smith,				20	5	3	7	9	0
No. 7. M'Intosh and Robicheau,				23	13	0	17	5	6
No. 10. McDonald and Noble,				25	9	4	11	8	11
No number, Sam. and Patrick Henderson.									
Balance of Interest and Costs,				29	19	3			
No. 11. Thos. Purdie and Lewis Henry,				58	6	6	13	10	2
No. 14. Thos. Elder and Robert Young,				100	1	5	11	10	1
No. 15. B. B. Etter and Wm. Wright,				48	18	6	12	11	3
No. 17. A. Bannerman and Chas. Cameron.									
Extent for Debt and Costs, 1820,	57	16	10						
Additional Costs,	2	17	6						
	£60	14	4						
Off, paid,	33	6	8						
				27	7	8			
Carried forward,				£1,108	7	0	90	11	2

Brought forward,				£1,108	7	0	90	11	2
No. 18. W. L. Irish and Thos. Wilson.									
Extent for debt and costs, 1821,	51	2	2						
Off, paid,	23	0	0						
				28	2	2			
No. 19. David Gibson and John Clarke, Balance, 1821, debt, interest and costs,				95	9	1			
No. 20. Daniel Starr and Benj. Murdoch,				33	3	8	12	10	9
No. 21. B. Murdoch and Robert Young, Balance of debt, interest and costs,				19	0	4			
No. 22. Thos. Elder and Jared Betts,				86	12	7	8	4	2
No. 23. Thos. Elder and John Clarke,				18	16	11	9	4	2
No. 24. Thos. Robinson and Nathan Frink,				10	0	0	8	3	9
No. 25. A. M'Lean and Nathan Frink,				12	0	0	13	2	0
No. 27. Geo. Sutherland and Ephraim Ward,				40	0	0	7	4	2
No. 31. Jas. Bracket and Forum Dustin,				100	0	0	8	5	6
No. 34. John Lockhart,				14	0	0	14	18	11
No. 35. Benjamin Murdoch and Thomas Smith,				38	11	3	8	11	0
No. 36. James Bowden and Francis Peabody,				24	4	2	9	1	6
No. 37. Wm. Davidson and Phineas Davidson, Balance of debt, interest and costs,				4	14	1			
No. 38. Wm. Davidson and Richard Simonds, Balance of debt, interest and costs up to the time the Extent was issued				3	11	2			
No. 39. Thos. Pemberton and George Henderson,				11	14	2	11	2	0
No. 40. George Henderson,				11	9	0	10	0	3
No. 41. George Henderson and A. Goodfellow,				34	1	0	10	5	6
No. 42. George Henderson and Ward McDonald,				27	1	8	11	17	0
No. 43. William Gray and George Henderson,				25	1	0	11	2	0
No. 44. P. Davidson and Alexander Davidson, Balance of debt, interest and costs, Interest yet to be calculated,				1	8	10			
No. 46. G. N. Russell and Francis Peabody,	123	10	7						
No. 49. J. T. Williston and Francis Peabody,	21	13	8						
No. 51. F. Peabody and John Clarke,	161	7	2						
Costs and interest in first,	11	9	7						
Do do. in second,	10	11	0						
Do do. in third,	19	10	9						
	£348	2	9						
Off, paid per Report No. 46. 300 0 0									
Do. 51. " " 24 0 0	324	0	0						
				24	2	9			
No. 47. J. G. Legget and Geo. Henderson,				16	9	2	11	2	0
No. 48. W. Bannerman and John Clarke,				24	7	0	9	12	1
No. 50. F. Peabody and Richard Simonds, Balance of Bond, interest and costs,				19	7	0			
No. 52. A. M'Intosh and John Atcheson,				21	12	10	15	8	6
No. 58. W. Milne and Geo. Henderson,				23	15	6	10	18	3
No. 63. W. Chipman and John M'Leod,				39	16	3	12	15	4

1822.

No. 2. John Ashton and Alex. Davidson,									
Carried forward,				1,916	18	7	304	0	0

Brought forward,		£1,916 18 7	£304 0 0
Balance of extent including costs. On this suit, much Interest is due. The extent being 3 years out before any was paid,		15 17 2	
No. 5. Thomas Smith and James Abbott, Balance of debt, interest and costs, 22d July, 1823,		141 5 7	
No. 8. Gilbert Ormsley and W. Morehouse,		262 15 0	8 12 5
No. 9. John Patterson and E. F. Sinclair,		244 16 6	8 0 11
No. 12. D. Hamilton and J. T. Johnston,		41 5 0	8 13 9
1824.			
No. 1. J. McNamara and L. Fitzpatrick,		34 14 0	6 11 6
No. 2. W. Ledden and John Ledden,		53 17 2	8 12 8
No. 5. Charles Mills and Patrick Henderson, Balance of debt, interest and costs, May 1827,		278 12 3	
1825.			
No. 1. Charles Mills and Patrick Henderson,		47 16 3	9 14 3
No. 2. Charles Mills and Alexander Davidson,		133 11 7	9 16 6
No. 4. John Robson and Wm. Saunders,		50 0 6	8 14 3
No. 5. John Mitchell and Thos. Abbott,		23 4 0	
No. 6. Maunsell and M'Guire, and Jas. Mooney,		141 3 3	10 15 3
No. 7. Jas. Mooney, and Maunsell and M'Guire,		24 8 0	10 15 3
No. 8. Maunsell and M'Guire, and Jas. Mooney,		42 17 6¾	10 19 9
1826.			
No. 1. Lewis Henry and Thos. Vendry,		135 15 6	8 18 9
No. 2. Thomas Tyffe and Lewis Henry,		14 16 6	7 17 9
No. 3. R. M'Laughlin and Isaac Paley,		141 11 1	8 18 9
No. 4. R. M'Laughlin and F. Peabody,		37 19 0	8 9 6
No. 5. Andrew Clarke and John Clarke,		43 12 1	8 11 9
No. 6. Wm. Sharp and Alex. Davidson, Balance of debt, interest and costs,		5 8 11	
No. 7. Robert Long and Wm. Ledden,		20 7 11	8 5 9
No. 8. John Clarke and Christopher Clarke,		87 3 0	8 12 9
No. 9. Wm. Ledden and James Ledden,		16 6 8	8 14 9
No. 10. Wm. Ledden and Alex. Davidson,		141 15 0	8 6 9
No. 11. W. Cunard, A. Davidson and Joseph Saunders,	105 14 0		
A. Davidson and Joseph Saunders,	173 12 5		
		279 6 5	8 14 3
No. 12. Alexander Davidson and Jas. Abbott,		187 0 2	8 17 9
No. 13. Alexander Davidson and Jas. Ledden,		77 4 1	8 14 9
No. 14. A. Davidson and Lewis Henry,		154 5 6	8 14 9
No. 16. Thos. Powell and James Hutchinson,		63 18 8	9 1 3
Nos. 17. & 18. T. Powell and B. M. Goldsmith, Two Bonds { 383 9 4, 376 10 8 }	760 0 0		
Off, paid	17 18 0		
		742 2 0	19 9 10
Carried forward,		£5,501 14 10¾	545 15 7

Brought forward,	£5,501	14	10¾	£545	15	7
1827.						
No. 6. Robert Stirling and William Austen,	11	7	6	5	6	1
No. 8. George Coats and William Barr,	51	4	6	3	8	8
No. 15. Thos. Nisbet and Robert Stirling,	18	7	6	7	3	10
No. 17. Wm. Saunders and John Robson,	37	12	2	6	12	3
No. 18. John Anderson and Jas. Saunders,	27	14	7	9	14	3
No. 19. William Saunders,	18	3	0	6	10	3
No. 20. Wm. Saunders and Alex. Saunders,	16	1	7	6	18	3
No. 21. Jas. Abbot and Jared Betts,	30	1	7	7	10	1
No. 23. Wm. Ledden and John Ledden,	22	18	8	7	3	1
No. 24. William Fiddes and R. Legertwood,	56	19	10½	8	9	9
No. 25. John Martin and W. Fiddes,.	12	12	9	7	10	1
No. 26. Alex. Rankin and Lewis Henry,	274	14	0	2	18	11
No. 27. W. Abrams and Lewis Henry, Balance,	158	2	0	3	0	5
No. 29. Matthew Byrne and J. L. Saunders,	31	0	6			
No. 30. John Furlong, R. Caie and M. Cranney,	27	8	1	7	6	9
No. 31. A. P. Henderson and P. Henderson,	29	14	6½	6	14	10
No. 32. P. Henderson and A. P. Henderson,	63	11	10	6	14	6
No. 33. W. Letson, L. Hawbolt and F. Peabody,	91	2	1	7	0	9
No. 34. W. Letson, L. Hawbolt and J. Paley,	22	3	9	7	0	9
No. 35. L. Hawbolt, W. Letson and J. Paley,	65	3	8	7	0	9
No. 36. Colin Campbell and R. Huddleston, Jr.	52	15	7	8	6	6
No. 37. R. Huddleston, Jr. and W. M'Lean,	103	10	6	8	6	6
No. 38. Maxwell Rankin and Jas. Thompson,	11	0	0	8	7	9
No. 39. Thos. Turner and Richard Turner, Balance of Bond, interest and costs,	26	11	6			
No. 40. James Frink and C. Curry, James Frink and W. Porter Balance of Bonds, interest and costs,	29	10	9			
No. 41. N. Marks and Benjamin Babb, Balance of Bond, interest and costs,	49	12	2			
No. 47. C. Curry and W. Kerr,	243	1	4	3	10	4
No. 48. C. Curry and Willam Maybee,	39	9	10	3	9	7
No. 49. R. Callender and C. Curry,	63	16	8	3	9	7
No. 50. Jas. Foster and E. Tompkins, Jr.	15	0	0	7	0	0
B. M. Goldsmith, S. M'Kean and T. Powell,	300	0	0	10	2	4
B. M. Goldsmith,	756	16	1¾			
Total—	£8,359	2	9½	722	12	7

From the above it will be seen at one view, that Eight thousand three hundred and fifty-nine pounds, two shillings and nine pence half-penny, in Bonds and Securities remained in the hands of the late Attorney General, at the time of his death, exclusively of a large amount of interest due thereon, which remain to be accounted for.—Besides this large sum, costs to the extent of Seven hundred and twenty-two pounds twelve shillings and seven pence are charged the Province, on suits for the recovery of the Bonds and Securities alluded to, which also must be kept in view, when an account is obtained of the ulterior proceedings that have taken place against the parties by his successors in Office. In some of the cases it will be observed, by in the preceding Statement, that the costs are not carried out in the column intended for them. This is only where a large payment has been made on account of a Bond or Bonds in Suit, and Your Committee considered it would much simplify the matter, by making the costs in such cases a part of the principal, and carrying out the amount due, in the column, intended for the Bonds. The costs on the various suits alluded to, will be observed by reference to the detailed statement.

Your Committee now proceeed to the investigation of the statement of accounts rendered by the Executors, adverted to at the commencement of this Report. They stand in order as follow :—

No. 1. Is an account of costs charged in the late Attorney General's Books on the various suits instituted against parties on Treasury Bonds and Securities, from March, 1822, to the time of his death, February, 1828, amounting to £1,233 14 10

This has been carefully examined, and the following overcharges have been discovered, which must be deducted.

This amount in the case of M'Lean and Dunn, per Report of matters herewith, which took place prior to 1822, on Bonds lodged before that year, forming part of the amount £4,091 3 9 then in hand, No. 28.	0 8 0	
This amount in case of Richey and Russell, No. 59.	0 7 0	
Do. " Patterson and Taylor, No. 60.	0 8 0	
Do. " Kinnear and Pidgeon, No. 2.	2 1 2	
Do. " Peavy and Currier, No. 9.	1 13 6	
Do. " Stirling and Simpson, No. 3.	3 8 9	
Do. " Gault and Gilbert, No. 16.	2 5 10	
Costs were charged in Bois and M'Bean's case,	6 17 6	
Do. twice charged in W. and S. McDonald's case,	5 19 10	
Do. wrong charged in Fiddis and Robertson's case, Post Office concern,	7 14 9	
Wrong charge of costs in James Taylor's case, he being prosecuted on a Marriage License Bond,	5 19 9	
Overcharge of costs in E. Seely's case,	2 16 9	
Do. do. against M. McDonald,	6 17 6	
		£46 18 4

Besides this, various sums to the extent of £65 17 0 are charged for what is termed "*ruling the Sheriffs,*"—which it is questionable, whether the Province ought to pay. Proceedings of this description it appears have only been found necessary, (with one or two exceptions,) in the County of Northumberland.

Of course, in this large bill of costs, every thing is included, whether the actions were brought to final issue or not, and if the House sustain the charges thus made, such parts of them as have been recovered by his Successors in Office, in ulterior proceedings, must be accounted for by them to the Province.

No. 2. Is a detailed statement of various amounts received by the late Attorney General, on account of Bonds during the same period, put into his hands for collection, and of those that remained in his hands March, 1822, amounting to £7,591 4 6½

From this must be deducted the two following sums, erroneously carried to the credit of the Province, as receipts on account of Bonds, when in fact they were not.

1826.

June 1st. Order in favor of R. Simonds in account of Christopher Parker,	25 0 0
Carried forward,	£25 0 0

Brought forward,	£25 5 8	
1827.		
June 14th. Order in favor of H. B. Rainsford, on account of warrant for services,	60 0 0	
		£85 0 0

No. 3. Is a statement of payments made by the late Attorney General to the late Province Treasurer from the commencement of 1822, including a small sum paid subsequently to the death of the former, and one or two other charges amounting to £6,173 11 8½

This has been carefully examined, and the following is the result:—

Balance charged as due late Attorney General in 1812, and omitted to be carried forward in next account, *incorrect.* The same having been ascertained by your Committee, to have been paid January 6th 1813,		6 5 7½
Order charged on Commissariat, February 28th 1822,		52 0 0
This was charged the Province in former account,		
Overcharge of payments made in 1826, arising from his having received a payment on account of his own warrant for services, which has not been noticed,		65 12 2
Warrant for grant for services in Session of 1827, charged 20th May, that year. This was not paid to the Treasurer, but drawn out and applied to his own purposes by the late Attorney General,	100 0 0	100 0 0
Total overcharged,		£223 17 9½

On the other hand, the sum of £75 0 0 has been omitted to be charged against the Province, that amount having been paid to the late Treasurer on the 1st September, 1825, by B. L. Peters, Esq. on account of the late Attorney General, and is credited in the Treasurer's account current for that year.

In the investigation of this statement, No. 3. of course reference had to be made to the late Treasurer's accounts, and it was discovered that there was a short credit of £65 0 0 in 1822, and £60 0 0 in 1828, to the Province, when compared with the sums for which the late Attorney General had receipts.

This having been communicated to the Executors, by the Chairman of the Committee, a short time since, the amount £125 0 0 was promptly paid into the Treasury, and it will appear in that Officer's account next Session, under date of 15th January, 1835,

In addition to the errors already mentioned, your Committee have to notice the following omissions in his accounts, which must appear to the credit of the Province.

Balance of Bond, Corry junr., and Taylor, per report No. 12, first number,		5 15 4
Balance of Bond, M'Donald and Flaherty, received and not credited,		14 12 3
Short credit on receipts from Robert Weeks and Marks, per report, No. 26, first number,		6 13 0
Balance due from Thos. Dodd, Saint Peters, 1820, recovered by late Attorney General and not credited,	£21 19 4	
And the costs charged against the Province, last account,	9 3 0	
		31 2 4
Balance of Barr and Flaherty's Bond, per report, No. 54,		9 10 5
Amount of debt and costs, Raymond and Austin. Report 1827, No. 2,		32 15 11
Do. do. Stirling and Simpson. Report 1827, No. 3,		37 12 7
Carried forward,		£138 1 10

Brought forward,		£138 1 10	
Do. do. Nisbet and Robertson. Report 1827, No. 12,		18 1 6	
Do. do. Watts and Palmer. Report 1827, No. 46,		18 19 6	
Total,		175 2 10	
No. 2. second page. Bond J. and A. Robson, £60 10 6. Costs £9 4 3,		69 14 9	
		£244 17 7	
No. 4. Is an account of sums received by the Attorney General, on which, after deducting costs, he charges a Commission of 4 per cent. The amount is £6,872 4 4, at 4 per cent, is		£274 17 9	
No. 5. Is the general account current. "The Province of New Brunswick, with the estate of the late Attorney General Wetmore," made up as follows:—			
Charges,			
Nett Balance due on accounts rendered by the late Attorney Geral, 1822,		£245 14 8	
Payments made per preceding report, No. 3,		6,173 11 8½	
Amount on costs of sundry prosecutions per report, No. 1,		1,233 14 10	
Commission account, per report, No. 4,		274 17 9	
		£7,927 18 11½	
Credits,			
By amount of receipts per report, per No. 2,		7,591 4 6½	
Balance favoring the estate,		£336 14 5	
With the corrections pointed out it will however stand thus—			
Balance as stated,	£336 14 5		
Over credit on receipts, see remarks on report, No. 2,	85 0 0		
Short charged in payments made to the late Treasurer, see No. 3,	75 0 0		
		496 14 5	
Deduct,			
Overcharge on costs. See Report, No. 1.	£46 18 4		
Sundry overcharges. See Report, No. 3.	223 17 9		
Sundry omissions of credits, per Statement,	244 17 7		
		515 13 8	
Balance in favor of the Province, - - -		£19 19 3	

The charge of £65 17 0 made for "*ruling* the Sheriffs" of course is not included in the above deductions—the propriety of that claim being submitted to the decision of the House.

Your Committee recommend, that immediate information be sought for from the present Attorney General, regarding the Bonds which have come into his possession since the late Attorney General's death, in the course of prosecution at that time; what proceedings have been had thereon; the amount recovered from each party, and the costs; and how much of such costs were earned by the late Attorney General, and received by the present one, in order that it may be ascertained how far the Bill of Costs, now charged the Province, by the former, may be sustainable, and to what extent the present Attorney General may be liable to the Province, for the costs collected by him, and which, being earned by the late Attorney General,

are claimed by the Executors from the Province. Until this be obtained Your Committee would respectfully recommend, that no proceedings be taken on this Report—as from the complexion of matters, there can be no doubt there will be a large deficiency in the receipts, when compared with the amount of Bonds in the late Attorney General's hands, at the time of his death, and that much, if not nearly all, of that deficiency arose from proceedings which took place in the County of Northumberland. The Sheriff of that County has already appeared before the House by Petition, which was referred to Your Committee, but they judged it proper to make no Report thereon, until the desired information be obtained from Attorney General Peters.

It may be proper to remark, that monies have every year been paid over to the Treasurer by the present Attorney General, since his accession to office, on account of Bonds, which were in the course of prosecution by the late Attorney General Wetmore; but no specific statement has accompanied his annual accounts, of the kind now sought for.

The late Acting Attorney General, now Judge Parker, has long since furnished his Account for the short time he held the Office.—This will be noticed in a subsequent Report.

All which is respectfully submitted to this Honorable House.

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, 26th January, 1835.

No. 2.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

THE TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS.

MR. PARTELOW, from the Committee appointed to examine the Treasurer's Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1834, submitted the following report:—

No. 1. Is an account of Ordinary Duties collected or secured on Merchandise not warehoused, imported into Saint John between 1st January and 31st December, 1834, inclusive, amounting to				£20,205	7	5½
No. 2. Is an account of Ad-valorem Duties collected or secured at St. John for the same period, on Merchandise not warehoused, amounting to				5,803	14	11½
No. 3. Is an Account of Ordinary and Ad-valorem Duties collected at Saint John on Merchandise Warehoused for the year ending 31st December, 1834, amounting to				202	4	5
No. 4. Is an account of Auction Duties paid into the Treasury at Saint John during the same period, amounting to				1,062	19	9
No. 5. Is an account of Sums received by the Treasurer at Saint John, from the Officers of H. M. Customs, in the year 1834, on account of duties collected by them under Acts of the Imperial Parliament, amounting to				7,752	4	3
No. 6. Is an accoant of sums received for Licenses issued to Pedlars by the Treasurer at Saint John, from 1st April to 31st December, 1834, amounting to				65	0	0
Total Gross Revenue at Saint John for the year 1834,				£35,091	10	10
From which are to be deducted the following:—						
No. 7. An account of Drawbacks paid at Saint John in 1833, on Articles imported into and exported therefrom, amounting to	4,192	15	11			
Less this amount taken from the Revenue the year previous, on account of the requisite Certificates not having been then lodged,	859	6	6			
Carried forward, Nett	£3,333	9	5	£35,091	10	10

Brought forward,	£3,333 9 5	35,091 10 10	
No. 8. An account of sums refunded for overcharge of Duties, amounting to	1 17 11		
No. 9. An account of Commission paid an Auctioneer for collecting Duties on Goods, seized and sold by Officers of His Majesty's Customs, in 1834, amounting to	0 12 4		
No. 10. An abstract of Entries made at the Office of the Province Treasurer at Saint John, for Drawbacks on Goods exported in 1834, the proper Certificates to obtain which not having been lodged, amounting to	1,781 3 6		
		5,117 3 2	
Nett Revenue at Saint John for 1834,		£29,974 7 8	
No. 11. Is an account of Ordinary Duties collected or secured at Saint Andrews, by the Deputy Treasurer there, on Merchandise, between the 1st January and 31st December, 1834, amounting to	2,529 13 4		
No. 12. Is an account of Ad-valorem Duties collected at the same place, on Merchandise, in 1834, there imported, amounting to	585 3 0½		
No. 13. Is an account of Duties on Horses, Cattle and dead Meats, collected by the Deputy Treasurer, Saint Andrews, during the same period, amounting to	201 1 2		
No. 14. Is an account of Duties on articles seized and sold at the Custom House, Saint Andrews, in 1834, amounting to	27 12 2		
No. 15. Is an account of Auction Duty paid into the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, Saint Andrews, in 1834, amounting to	58 19 3		
No. 16. Is an account of sums received at Saint Andrews, for Licenses issued by the Deputy Treasurer, to Pedlars, in 1834, amounting to	22 10 0		
Total Gross Revenue secured at Saint Andrews for 1834,	£3,424 18 11½		
From which are to be deducted the following :—			
No. 17. An account of Drawbacks paid at Saint Andrews in 1834, on Articles exported therefrom, amounting to £137 16 3			
No. 18 An account of Discounts allowed for prompt payment of Duties, amounting to 0 7 7½	138 3 10½		
Nett Revenue at Saint Andrews for the year 1834,		3,286 15 1	
No. 19. Is an account of duties collected by the Deputy Treasurer, St. Stephen, County of Char-			
Carried forward,		£33,261 2 9	

Brought forward,	£33,261	2	9			
lotte, on Horses and Oxen in the year 1834, amounting to	312	0	0			
It also contains an account of Ad-valorem Duties collected at the same place on Merchandise imported, amounting to	41	8	7			
No. 20. Is an account of a sum received in 1834 by the same Deputy Treasurer for a Licence issued to a Pedlar, amounting to	10	10	0			
Total Revenue collected at St. Stephen in 1834,				363	18	7
No. 21. Is an account of Ordinary Duties secured at West Isles, County of Charlotte, in the year 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer, there amounting to	2,140	18	3			
It also contains an account of Ad-valorem Duties collected in the same year, amounting to	4	13	1½			
And An account of Duties collected on a Foreign Horse and a yoke of Oxen, amounting to	7	0	0			
Total Gross Revenue at West Isles for the year 1834,	£2,152	11	4½			
From which must be deducted—						
No. 22. An account of drawbacks paid by the Deputy Treasurer, West Isles, on Merchandise exported in 1834, amounting to	701	1	3			
Nett Revenue at West Isles, for 1834,				1,451	10	1½
No. 23. Is an account of Ordinary duties secured at Miramichi by the Deputy Treasurer on Merchandise imported into that place in 1834, amounting to	£4,720	2	6			
It also contains an account of Ad-valorem duties collected in 1834, on Merchandise imported into Miramichi, amounting to	1,391	5	3			
No. 24. Is a statement of sums received by the same Deputy Treasurer from the Officers of His Majesty's Customs in 1834, amounting to	911	15	5			
No. 25. Is an account of Auction duties paid into the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi, in 1834, amounting to	31	5	5½			
No. 26. Is a return of duties collected for Licenses issued for Pedlars, in Miramichi, for 1834, amounting to	9	0	0			
Total Gross Revenue at Miramichi, for 1834,	£7,063	8	7½			
From which deduct as follows :—						
No. 27. A statement of various sums paid by Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi, for discount in 1834, on prompt payment of duties, amounting to	47	15	5½			
Carried forward,	£47 15 5½	7,063	8	7½	£35,076	11 5½

Brought forward,	£47	15	5½	7,063	8	7½	35,076	11	5½
No. 28. An account of drawbacks paid in 1834, on Merchandise, exported from Miramichi, amounting to	141	3	0						
No. 29. A statement of articles entitled to drawback, exported in 1834, to obtain which, the requisite Certificates have not been lodged, amounting to	59	5	1						
	£248	3	6½						
Less this amount taken from the Revenue of 1833, per report last Session, for the reasons given in the preceding number 29,	90	16	3						
				157	7	3½			
Nett Revenue at Miramichi, for 1834,							6,906	1	4
No. 30. Is an account of Ordinary duties collected by the Deputy Treasurer, Richibucto, on Merchandise imported in 1834, amounting to				567	17	5½			
It also contains an account of Ad-valorem Duties on Merchandise collected in the same year, amounting to				162	16	8			
And an account of monies received from the Sub-collector of His Majesty's Customs, on account of duties collected under Acts of the Imperial Parliament, amounting to				68	18	4			
No. 31. Is an account of sums received for Licences granted to Pedlars at Richibucto, in 1834, amounting to				20	0	0			
Total Revenue at Richibucto, for 1834,							819	12	5½
No. 32. Is an account of Ordinary duties collected at Shediac, by the Deputy Treasurer there, on merchandise imported in 1834, amounting to				24	1	3			
It also shews a sum received in the same year for a Licence issued to a Pedlar				6	10	0			
Total Revenue at Shediac, for 1834,							30	11	3
No. 33. Is an account of Ordinary Duties secured on Merchandise, imported into Dalhousie, by the Deputy Treasurer there, in 1834, amounting to				£1,197	6	4			
It also shews an account of Ad-valorem Duties collected on articles of Foreign Production, in 1834, amounting to				18	4	7			
No. 34. Is an account of Ad-valorem Duties on British Merchandise, imported into Dalhousie in 1834, and secured by the Deputy Treasurer there, amounting to				218	8	11			
No. 35. Is an account of monies received from the Sub-Collector of H. M. Customs, on account of Duties collected under Acts of the Imperial Parliament, amounting to				138	1	6			
Carried forward,				£1,572	1	4	£42,832	16	6

Brought forward,		£1,572 1 4	42,832 16 6
No. 36. Is an account of a sum received for a Licence granted to a Pedlar at Dalhousie, in 1834, amounting to		2 10 0	
Total Gross Revenue at Dalhousie, for 1834,		£1,574 11 4	
From which deduct as follows:—			
No. 37. An account of sums allowed and paid by the Deputy Treasurer for prompt payment of Duties agreeably to Law, amounting to	31 12 4½		
No. 38. A statement of Drawbacks on Merchandise, exported from Dalhousie, in 1834, amounting to	65 18 6		
		97 10 10½	
Nett Revenue for Dalhousie, in 1834,			1,477 0 5½
No. 39. Is an account of Ordinary duties on Merchandise imported, in 1834, into Bathurst, and secured by the Deputy Treasurer there, amounting to		648 16 1	
No. 40. Is an account of Ad-valorem duties on British Merchandise imported into Bathurst, in 1834, and secured by the Deputy Treasurer there, amounting to		45 0 6	
It also contains an account of a sum received from an Officer of His Majesty's Customs, on account of duties collected under Acts of the Imperial Parliament,		4 19 10½	
Total Revenue at Bathurst, for 1834,		£698 16 5½	
From which deduct as follows:—			
No. 41. A sum allowed as discount for prompt payment of duties on Goods imported, agreeably to a Law of the Province,	2 2 2		
Drawback paid on Exportation of four Puncheons Rum,	29 12 9		
And			
Drawback on three Puncheons, also exported, the requisite Certificates to obtain which not having been lodged,	23 15 0		
		55 9 11	
Nett Revenue at Bathurst, for 1834,			643 6 6½
No. 42. Is an account of sums received by the Deputy Treasurer, at Sackville, in 1834, for Licenses to Pedlars, amounting to		20 10 0	
It also contains an account of duties, collected on various Articles in the same year,		7 3 10	
Total Revenue at Sackville, in 1834,			27 13 10
No. 43. Is an account of Ordinary duties, col-			
Carried forward,			£44,980 17 4

Brought forward,		£44,980 17 4	
lected by the Deputy Treasurer, Bay du Verte, in 1834, amounting to		8 5 0	
No. 44. Is an account of duties, collected by the Deputy Treasurer at Fredericton, on sundry articles in 1834, amounting to	3 17 8		
No. 45. Is a statement of various sums received by the same, in 1834, for Licenses granted to Pedlars, amounting to	40 10 0		
No. 46. Is an account of Auction duties paid to the Deputy Treasurer at Fredericton, in 1834, amounting to	4 6 7		
Total Revenue collected at Fredericton, 1834,		48 14 3	
No. 47. Is an account of duties on Foreign Horses and Horned Cattle, collected by the Deputy Treasurer at Woodstock, in 1834, amounting to	135 0 0		
No. 48. Is an account of Ad-valorem duties on Merchandise, collected by the same Deputy Treasurer, in 1834, amounting to	17 15 1		
No. 49. Is an account of Parliamentary duties, received by the Deputy Treasurer from the Sub-Collector of the Customs, in 1834, amounting to	27 11 4		
It also contains a statement of an amount received for a Licence, granted to a Pedlar,	2 10 0		
Total Revenue for Woodstock, in 1834,		182 16 5	
Total Nett Revenue for the Province, for the Year 1834, exclusively of Light House, Hospital and Emigrant duties, collected in that Year,		£45,220 13 0	

No. 50. Is an account of Light House duties collected by the Province Treasurer, Saint John, in the Year 1834, for the support of Light Houses in the Bay of Fundy, amounting to £1,743 8 8

No. 51. Is an account of Light House duties, collected during the same period and for the same purpose, by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, amounting to 516 4 4

No. 52. Is an account of Light House duties, collected by the Deputy Treasurer West Isles, in 1834, for the same purpose, 181 1 8

No. 53. Is an account of Light House duties, collected for the same purpose, in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Stephen, amounting to 24 10 0

No. 54. Is a similar account for the same purpose, in 1834, from the Deputy Treasurer Grand Manan, amounting to 16 11 1

No. 55. Is a similar account from the Deputy Treasurer Saint Martin's, for 1834, amounting to 8 6 0

Total amount of Light Money, collected in 1834, £2,490 1 9

No. 56. Is an account of duties collected at Saint John, by the Treasurer, in

1834, under the Act for the support of sick and disabled Seamen, amounting to	£824	16	6
No. 57. Is an account of duties collected by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, in 1834, under the same authority, and for the same purpose, amounting to	242	6	0
No. 58. Is an account of duties collected in 1834, for the same purpose, by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Stephen, amounting to	7	8	4
No. 59. Is an account of duties collected in 1834, for the same purpose, by the Deputy Treasurer West Isles, amounting to	65	3	8
No. 60. Is an account of duties collected by the Deputy Treasurer at Miramichi in 1834, for the same purpose, amounting to	404	2	6
No. 61. Is an account of duties collected by the Deputy Treasurer at Richibucto in 1834, for the same purpose, amounting to	46	6	6
No. 62. Is an account of duties collected at Shediac, for the same purpose in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer there, amounting to	5	17	6
No. 63. Is an account of duties collected for the same purpose in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer at Bathurst, amounting to	68	12	7
No. 64. Is an account of duties collected in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer at Dalhousie, for the same purpose, amounting to	92	6	9
No. 65. Is an account of duties collected in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Martin's, County of Saint John, for the same purpose, amounting to	2	12	10
Total collected in the Province in 1834, for the relief of sick and disabled Seamen,	£1,759	13	2

No. 66. Is an account of duties collected in Saint John in 1834, under the "Act to regulate vessels arriving from the United Kingdom with Passengers and Emigrants," amounting to £1,660 7 6

No. 67. Is an account of duties collected by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, under the same Act in 1834, amounting to	423	1	8
No. 68. Is an account of duties collected under the same Act in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer Miramichi, amounting to	17	5	0
No. 69. Is an account of Monies paid to the Deputy Treasurer at Richibucto under the same Act, amounting to	16	15	0
No. 70. Is an account of Monies paid to the Deputy Treasurer at Dalhousie in 1834, under the same Act, amounting to	5	15	0
No. 71. Is an account of Monies paid to the Deputy Treasurer at Bathurst in 1834, under the same Act, amounting to	60	7	6
Total amount received in 1834, under the Emigrant Act,	£2,183	11	8

No. 72. Is an account Current, Bay of Fundy Light Houses, with the Province Treasurer, for the year 1834, made up as follow:—

Dr.

Balance of account Current, 31st December, 1833,	31	10	11½
Warrant for Grant of 1834, for contingent Expences of Campo Bello and Machias Seal Island Light Houses,	500	0	0
Carried forward,	£531	0	11½

Brought forward,				£531	10	11½
Warrant on account of Gannet Rock and Point Leproe Light Houses,				400	0	0
Paid in part of Warrant for contingent Expences of Light Houses at the entrance of the Harbour of Saint John,				90	0	0
Keeper of Partridge Island Light, additional Grant, Session 1834,				50	0	0
Salaries of the following Light House Keepers for 1834 :—						
Partridge Island - - -	£100					
Beacon Light - - - -	100					
Gannet Rock - - -	165					
Point Le Proe - - -	100					
Machias Seal Island - - - -	130					
Campo Bello - - - -	120					
				715	0	0
Grant for the Road to Campo Bello Light House,				15	0	0
Do. Do. to Point Le Proe Do.				15	0	0
Commissioners of Buoys and Beacons in Charlotte County, Balance due on Light House, Indian Point,				46	12	4
Commissioners of Light Houses, towards support of Cape Sable Seal Island, and Brier Island Light Houses in 1833,				288	5	10
Commissioners of Light Houses in Nova Scotia, grant of 1832 towards the support of Brier Island Light House,				100	0	0
Hammond and Crowley, amount refunded for Light House dues twice paid,				1	18	8
				£2,253	7	9½
He credits,						
Amount of Light House duties collected in 1834 at Saint John, see Report No. 50,	1,743	8	8			
Remittances from Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, on account of this fund,	557	5	5			
Remittances from Deputy Treasurer West Isles,	162	19	6			
Light dues collected in Saint Martin's, per Report, No. 55,	8	6	0			
				2,471	19	7
Balance carried to Credit of Account for 1834,				£218	11	9½

No. 73. Is an account, Beverley Robinson, Deputy Treasurer St. Andrews, with the Province Treasurer, relating to Monies which have come into his hands in 1834, for Light duties, as follows :—

He credits,					
Amount collected at Saint Andrews, per Report,	No. 51,		£516	4	4
Do. do. Saint Stephen, per Report,	53,		24	10	0
Do. do. Grand Manan, per Report,	54,		16	11	1
which amount has been paid over to the Province Treasurer, and is credited by him per Report,	72.		£557	5	5

No. 74. Is as account C. H. Jouett, Deputy Treasurer West Isles, relating to the monies which have come into his hands in 1834, on the same account—

He credits,			
Light House duties collected per Report, No. 52,	181	1	8
Carried forward,	£181	1	8

Brought forward,		£181 1 8
He charges,		
Remitted Province Treasurer, credited in account, No. 72,	£162 19 6	
10 per cent. Commission on £181 1 8,	18 2 2	
		£181 1 8

No. 75. Is an account of the Marine Hospital, Saint John, or Fund for the support of sick and disabled Seamen with the Province Treasurer, as follows :—

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer per account, 31st Dec. 1833,	£769 0 2
Duties collected at St. John in 1834, per Report, No. 56,	824 16 6
Do. do. St. Martin's, No. 65,	2 12 10
Received from Deputy Treasurer Shediac,	5 5 9
	£1,601 15 3
He charges,	
Cash paid the Commissioners, per Receipts, in 1834,	740 0 0
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer, 31st December, 1834,	£861 15 3

No. 76. Is an account, Beverley Robinson, Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, with the same fund as follows :—

Balance in his hands, per account, 31st December, 1833,	£467 2 10½
Duties collected, per Report, No. 57,	242 6 0
Do. Do. at Saint Stephen's, per Report, No. 58,	7 8 4
Received from Deputy Treasurer West Isles,	50 0 0
	£766 17 2½
He charges,	
Sundry payments made to the Commissioners, on account of this fund, for expenses to 31st December, 1834,	730 7 6
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st Dec. 1834,	£36 9 8½

No. 77. Is an account, C. H. Jouett, Deputy Treasurer West Isles, with the same fund, viz :—

Amount of duties collected in 1834, per Report, No. 59,		£65 3 8
He charges,		
Balance due, per account, 31st December, 1833,	£3 12 3	
10 per cent. Commission on duties,	6 10 4	
Remitted Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, credited in account, No. 76,	50 0 0	
		60 2 7
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st December, 1834,		£5 1 1

No. 78. Is an account, Thomas H. Peters, Deputy Treasurer Miramichi, for 1834, with the same fund, as follows :—

Balance in hand, per account, 31st December, 1833,	£434 15 9
Amount collected, per Report, No. 60,	404 2 6
	£838 18 3
He charges,	
Sundry payments made Commissioners,	690 0 0
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st Dec. 1834,	£148 18 3

No. 79. Is an account, J. W. Weldon, Deputy Treasurer Richibucto, with the same fund as follows :—

Balance in hand, per account 31st December, 1833,		£161 17 10½
Duties collected in 1834, per Report, No. 61,		46 6 6
		£208 4 4½
He charges,		
10 per cent, Commission on collections	£4 12 8	
Amount of three Warrants paid Commissioners, 1834,	146 3 4	
		150 16 0
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st December, 1834,		£57 8 4½

No. 80. Is an account Dugald Stewart, Deputy Treasurer Dalhousie, with the same fund as follows :—

Balance in hand, 31st December, 1833, per account,	£123 0 11
Amount collected in 1834, per Report, No. 64,	92 6 9
	£215 7 8
He charges,	
10 per cent. Commission on collections,	9 4 8
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer 31st December, 1834,	£206 3 0

No. 81. Is an account, John Miller, Deputy Treasurer Bathurst, with the same fund as follows :—

Balance in hand 31st, Dec. 1833,		£38 8 0½
Amount collected in 1834, per Report, No. 63,		68 12 7
		£107 0 7½
He charges,		
This amount credited in general account current 1832, which was, in the account rendered for 1833, credited this fund, and not then recharged the Province in general account,	£13 7 6	
(correct)		
Paid Warrant on account of this fund,	5 11 6	
10 per cent. commission, on £68 12 7,	6 17 3	
		25 16 3
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st Dec. 1834,		£81 4 4½

No. 82. Is an account, Wm. Hanington, Deputy Treasurer Shediac, with this fund as follows :—

He credits,		
Amount collected in 1834, per report No. 62,		£5 17 6
He charges,		
10 per cent. Commission,	£0 11 9	
Remitted Province Treasurer, credited in No. 75,	5 5 9	
		£5 17 6

By reference to the Report of last Session it will be observed, that there was a Balance in the hands of Mr. Hanington on account of receipts on this fund of £6 19 3, which is not yet accounted for.

There is no return from the Deputy Treasurer Sackville, Mr. Backhouse. On the 31st Dec. 1833, it appears there was a balance in his hands on this fund of £1 4 7.

No. 83. Is an account, Passenger and Emigrant Fund with the Province Treasurer as follows:—

Balance due the Province per account, Dec. 31 1833,			£893 17 5	
Duties collected at Saint John, per Report, No. 66,			1,660 7 6	
Do. do. at Saint Andrews, No. 67,			423 1 8	
Do. do. at Miramichi, No. 68,			17 5 0	
			£2,994 11 7	
He charges,				
Warrant in favor of A. Wedderburn, for expenses incurred for Emigrants in 1833,	£42 5 3			
Overseers of Poor for Saint Andrews, grant to reimburse them for allowances made 1833,	123 0 10			
Justices of Peace for City and County Saint John, to reimburse them for expenditure on the fund 1833, in the City,	671 4 9			
Do. do. for Portland,	84 4 10			
			920 15 8	
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer, 31st Dec. 1834,			£2,073 15 11	

No. 84. Is an account, J. W. Weldon, Deputy Treasurer at Richibucto, with the same fund as follows:—

He credits,	
Duties collected per Report, No. 69,	£16 15 0
Off 10 per cent. for collecting,	1 13 6
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st Dec. 1834.	£15 1 6

No. 85. Is an account, Dugald Stewart Deputy Treasurer Dalhousie, with the same fund as follows:—

Balance in hand 31st Dec. 1833,	£6 11 0
Duties collected in 1834, per Report, No. 70,	5 15 0
	£12 6 0
Off 10 per cent. Commission on duties collected,	0 11 6
Balance in hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st Dec. 1834,	£11 14 6

No. 86. Is an account, John Miller, Deputy Treasurer Bathurst, with the same fund as follows:—

Amount of Collections in 1834, per Report, No. 71,	£60 7 6
Off, 10 per cent. Commission,	6 0 9
Balance in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer, 31st December, 1834,	£54 6 9

No. 87. Is the general account current of the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, with the Province for 1834, as follows:—

Balance in favor of the Province, per account 31st Dec. 1833,		£17,423 4 3
Amount of Ordinary duties, per Report, collected or secured in 1834,	No. 1,	20,205 7 5¼
Ad-valorem duties per Report	No. 2,	5,803 14 11½
Carried forward,		£43,432 6 8

Brought forward,				£43,432	6	8
Ordinary and Ad-valorem duties	No. 3,			202	4	5
Auction duties	No. 4,			1,062	19	9
Receipts from Officers of His Majesty's Customs	No. 5,			7,752	4	3
Pedlars Licenses,	No. 6,			65	0	0
Receipts from His Majesty's Attorney General on account of Bonds prosecuted,				1,915	0	0
Board of Health, St. John, fine imposed,				4	9	9
James Taylor, for Cash formerly received by George West, as Commissiouer for Bye Roads, and not expended,				40	0	0
Remittances from Deputy Treasurers, as under—						
Miramichi		£5,714	14	2		
Saint Andrews		3,005	8	6		
West Isles		1,260	0	8		
Dalhousie		1,123	9	0		
Richibucto		540	2	2½		
Bathurst		235	0	0		
Woodstock		234	10	5½		
Fredericton		43	16	11		
Shediac		27	10	2		
Bay Verte		36	8	8½		
					12,221	0	9½
	Total				£66,695	5	7½
Against which he makes the following charges :—						
Amount of 872 Warrants paid in 1834, per account,		£42,809	19	8		
Drawbacks paid, per Report, No. 7,		4,192	15	11		
Sums refunded,	No. 8,	1	17	11		
Commission for collecting Duties on Goods, sold at Custom House,	No. 9,	0	12	4		
Balance of Cash account, with the Saint John Saving's Bank,		25	0	0		
Loss on British Silver, per account,		37	4	11		
Treasury Debentures with Interest, paid in 1834,		2,725	0	0		
Part of Warrant, No. 338, for Fish Bounties, not included, in abstract of Warrants, 1833 and 1834,		705	10	4		
					50,498	1	1
Balance in favor of the Province,					£16,197	4	6½

The Treasurer has carried out Warrant, No. 233, in the abstract, £20, instead of £10. The difference must therefore be added to the above Balance, which will make it £16,207 4 6½

Annexed to this is a further account of the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, shewing the several Balances in his hands on the 31st December, 1834, viz:—

Balance in favor of the Province agreeably to the aforegoing account	£16,197	4	6½
Balance of Bay of Fundy Light House account, per Report, No. 72,	218	11	9½
Balance of account Current, with the sick and disabled Seamen's fund, per Report, No. 75,	861	15	3
Balance of account Current, for protection of the Revenue,	35	4	7
Do. Do. with the Passenger and Emigrant Fund, No. 83,	2,073	15	11
Carried forward,	£19,386	12	1

Brought forward,			£19,386 12 1
He charges,			
Treasurer's and Clerk's Salary for 1834,	£750 0 0		
Office Rent and Contingencies,	111 18 8½		
			861 18 8½
Nett Balance in the hands of the Treasurer, 31st December, 1834,			£18,524 13 4½
Of which there are in Bonds,	£15,604 5 6½		
And in Cash,	2,920 7 10		
			£18,524 13 4½

To this Balance must be added £10, for overcharge in Abstract of Warrants before mentioned, which will make the balance, £18,534 13 4½

These accounts are, as usual, highly satisfactory to your Committee.

No. 88. Is an account of the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, for sums received and expended for the protection of the Revenue, as follows:—

Balance on hand, per account, 31st December, 1834,		£13 11 11
Appropriation in Session of 1834, for the collection and protection of the Revenue,		500 0 0
		£513 11 11
He charges,		
Paid Deputy Treasurer Saint Martin's, for services, per Report,	£13 11 11	
Amount expended in Charlotte County, 1834, under direction of Deputy Treasurer Robinson,	393 13 2	
Amount expended in Charlotte County, 1834, under direction of Deputy Treasurer Jouett,	71 2 3	
		478 7 4
Balance in favor of the Province, credited in supplementary account, No. 87,		£35 4 7

No. 89. Is an account of the Saint John Saving's Bank, with the Province, for the year 1834, as follows:—

Balance in favor of the Institution, per account, 31st December, 1833,	£2,277 14 4
Cash received from Saving's Bank, in 1834,	800 0 0
Interest per Statement,	114 9 9
	£3,192 4 1
He charges,	
Cash paid by order of acting Trustees, at various times, in 1834,	825 0 0
	£2,367 4 1

Balance in favor of the Saint John Saving's Bank, for which a new Debenture on Interest was issued, 31st December, 1834.

It will be seen that the amount paid to, and received by the Treasurer, in 1834, on account of this Institution, is £25 in his favor, which he charges to the Province, in his general account, No. 87.

No. 90. Is an account of the Hon. R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, shewing the loss that was sustained in 1834, in receiving and paying British Silver, amounting to £37 4 11

This is satisfactorily accounted for, and the amount is charged in his general account current, No. 87.

No. 91. Is an account of Treasury Debentures paid by the Province Treasurer, in 1834, charged in his account, No. 87, amounting to £2,725 0 0

No. 92. Is an abstract of Warrants paid by the Province Treasurer Saint John, between 1st January and 31st December, 1834, amounting to £42,809 19 8

In this there is an error of £10 against the Province, which is corrected in No. 87.

No. 93. Is a List of Bonds remaining in the Province Treasury at Saint John, on the 31st December, 1834, amounting to, and corresponding with account, No. 87, £15,604 5 6½

No. 94. Is an account of contingencies of the Treasurer's Office at Saint John, for the year 1834, charged in supplementary account, per Report, No. 87, amounting to £111 18 8½

No. 94½. Is an account of B. C. Chaloner, for guaging and weighing Dutiable Articles in Saint John, in 1834, amounting to £199 17 4

A large item appears in this account for weighing, &c. dried fruit. This your Committee conceive is objectionable, and they submit it to the House for decision.

No. 95. Is the general account current of Beverley Robinson, Deputy Treasurer at Saint Andrews, with the Province, for 1834, as follows :—

Balance in hand, 31st December, 1833,			£2,686 18 6½
Received from the Attorney General, 1834,			401 19 6
Do. from Officers of H. M. Customs, 18th January, 1834, being on account of Parliamentary duties, collected the year previous,			487 5 2
Ordinary duties collected, per Report,	No. 11,		2,529 13 4
Ad-valorem do.	No. 12,		585 3 0½
Duties on Horses, Cattle, &c.	No. 13,		201 1 2
Do on Goods, seized and sold,	No. 14,		27 12 2
Auction duties,	No. 15,		58 19 3
Licenses to Pedlars,	No. 16.		22 10 0
Received from Deputy Treasurer Saint Stephen's,			394 18 7
			£7,396 0 9
He charges,			
Drawbacks paid, per Report, No. 17,		£137 16 3	
Discount for prompt payment of duties, No. 18,		0 7 7½	
Interest to Saving's Bank,		4 14 10	
Deputy Treasurer's Salary,		300 0 9	
Bonds sent to the Attorney General for collection,		363 16 2	
Amount remitted to the Province Treasurer, credited in account, No. 87,		3,005 8 6	
			3,812 3 4½
Balance in favor of the Province,			£3,583 17 4½
Of which there are in Bonds,		£2,875 16 1	
And in Cash,		708 1 3½	
			£3,583 17 4½

No. 96. Is an account of Sums received from the Attorney General, by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, in 1834, agreeing with amount credited in No. 95, £401 19 6

No. 97. Is a list of Bonds remaining in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, on the 31st December, 1834, agreeing with Report, No. 95, £2,875 16 1

No. 98. Is a list of Bonds sent to the Attorney General for collection, in 1834, by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, see No. 95, £363 16 2

No. 99. Is a particular account of seizures, made by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Andrews, in 1834, the proceeds of which have been paid to the Collector of H. M. Customs, £43 18 9

This requires explanation.

No. 100. Is the general account current of Robert Watson, Deputy Treasurer at Saint Stephen, with the Province for 1834, as follows :—

Amount credited, being Commissions charged by this Officer on collections which were disallowed by the House last year, on account of his receiving a stipulated sum for his services,		£34 10 0
Duties collected per Reports, Nos. 19 and 20,		363 18 7
		£398 8 7
He charges,		
Amount for Stationary, and a sum allowed for discount on prompt payment of duties,	£3 10 0	
Remitted Deputy Treasurer St. Andrews, credited in his account, No. 95,	394 18 7	
		£398 8 7

No. 101. Is an account of seizures made by the Deputy Treasurer Saint Stephen's, in 1834, amounting to, £82 2 3

It is not stated how this is disposed of ; enquiry must be made.

No. 102. Is an account of Robert Watson for guaging &c. at Saint Stephen's in 1834, amounting to £4 5 6

No. 103. Is the general account current of C. H. Jouett, Deputy Treasury West Isles, with the Province for the year 1834, as follows :—

Balance of account due 31st Dec. 1833,		£1,240 19 9
Duties collected or secured per Report, No. 21,		2,152 11 4½
		£3,393 11 1½
He charges,		
10 per cent. Commission on duties,	£215 5 1½	
Drawbacks per Report, No. 22,	701 1 3	
Remittances to Treasurer, credited in account No. 87,	1,260 0 8	
		2,176 7 0½
Balance in favor of the Province,		£1,217 4 1

The whole of which is in Bonds.

No. 104. Is a list of Bonds remaining in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer West Isles, on the 31st Dec. 1834, corresponding with Report, No. 103, £1,217 4 1

No. 105. Is an account of C. H. Jouett, for guaging and weighing at West Isles, in 1834, amounting to £11 12 6

No. 106. Is the general account current, Thomas H. Peters, Deputy Treasurer Miramichi, with the Province, as follows :—

Balance of account as stated 31st Dec. 1833,	3,608 10 9
Ordinary and Ad-valorem duties per Report, No. 23,	6,111 7 9
Receipts from Officers of Customs, per Report, No. 24,	911 15 5
Auction Duties, " No. 25,	31 5 5½
Pedlars Licenses, " No. 26,	9 0 0
Half proceeds of a Waggon, Horse and Harness, seized, condemned and sold for non-payment of Duty,	13 6 6
Carried forward,	£10,685 5 10½

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Brought forward,		£10,685 5 10½
He charges,		
Bond of Emerson and Allen for importations per Schooner Harriet, cancelled,	£478 9 6	
Drawbacks per Report, No. 28,	141 3 0	
Discounts for prompt payment, No. 27,	47 15 5½	
Deputy Treasurer's Commission,	300 0 0	
Remitted to Province Treasurer per Report, No. 87,	5,714 14 2	
		6,682 2 1½
Balance in favor of the Province,		£4,003 3 9
Of which there are in Bonds,	£3,319 12 0	
And in cash,	683 11 9	
		£4,003 3 9

No. 107. Is a list of Bonds remaining in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer Miramichi, on the 31st December, 1834, agreeing with Report, No. 106, amounting to £3,319 12 0

No. 108. Is an account of George Henderson, for guaging at Miramichi, for 1834 amounting to £5 4 0

No. 108½. Is a general account of J. W. Weldon, Deputy Treasurer Richibucto, with the Province for 1834, as follows :—

Balance due the Province, per account 31st December, 1833,		£145 19 5
Ordinary and Ad-valorem duties per Report, No. 30,		730 14 1½
Receipts from Sub-collector, do. do.		68 18 4
Licenses to Pedlars, do. No. 31,		20 0 0
		£965 11 10½
He charges,		
10 per cent. Commission on collections	£75 1 5	
Remittances to Province Treasurer in 1834,	594 19 8½	
		670 1 1½
Balance in favor of the Province,		£295 10 9
Of which there are in Bonds,	£258 11 1½	
And in cash,	36 19 7½	
		£295 10 9

On reference to the Treasurer's general account current with the Province, No. 87, it will be observed that credit only is given for £540 2 2½ as having been received from this Officer. The difference therefore, £54 17, 6 must be added to the above Balance, which will make due from Mr. Weldon £350 8 3.

No. 109. Is a list of Bonds remaining in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer Richibucto, on the 31st Dec. 1834, agreeing with Report, No. 108, and amounting to £258 11 1½

No. 110. Is the general account current, of William Hanington, Deputy Treasurer Shediac, with the Province, as follows :—

Ordinary duties collected, and Pedlars Licenses granted, per Report, No. 32,		£30 11 3
He charges,		
10 per cent. Commission,	£3 1 1	
Remitted Province Treasurer, credited in account, per Report, No. 87,	27 10 2	
		£30 11 3

This account is not sworn to, neither has Mr. Hanington brought forward the Balance in his hands on the 31st Dec. 1833, 16*s.* 10*d.*

No. 111. Is the general account current of Dugald Stewart, Deputy Treasurer Dalhousie, with the Province, as follows :—

Balance of account 31st Dec. 1833,				£286 6 2½	
Ordinary and Ad-valorem duties per Report,	No. 33,			1,215 10 11	
Ad-valorem duties on British Merchandise,	No. 34,			218 8 11	
Receipts from Sub-Collector,	No. 35,			138 1 6	
Licence to a Pedlar,	No. 36,			2 10 0	
				£1,860 17 6½	
He charges,					
Discounts for prompt payment of duties, per Report,	No. 37,	£31 12 4½			
Drawbacks paid per Report, No. 38,		65 18 6			
Commission 10 per cent. on collections,		143 13 0			
Sundry payments made Province Treasurer, and to his order,		890 4 5			
				1,131 8 3½	
Balance in favor of the Province,				£729 9 3	
Of which there are in Bonds,		£280 6 1			
And in Cash,		449 3 2			
				£729 9 3	

This account is made up to the 15th December last. On reference to the Province Treasurer's account current, per Report, No. 87, made up to the 31st December, it will be observed that the sum of £1,123 9 0 is credited, as received from the Deputy Treasurer Dalhousie. The inference is therefore drawn, that the Deputy Treasurer has made a remittance of £233 4 7 after his accounts were made up. By deducting this sum from the balance as stated £729 9 3 it will leave the actual amount in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer on the 31st December, 1834, £496 4 8

No. 112. Is a list of Bonds remaining in the hands of the Deputy Treasurer Dalhousie, on the 15th December, 1834, agreeing with Report, No. 111, amounting to £280 6 1

No. 113. Is the general account current of John Miller, Deputy Treasurer Bathurst, with the Province for 1834, made up as follows :—

Balance of account, 31st December, 1833,				£108 8 8	
Amount of Ordinary duties, 1834,				648 6 1	
Duties on British Goods, per Report, No. 40,				45 0 6	
Receipts from Sub-collector of H. M. Customs,				4 19 10½	
				£806 15 1½	
He charges,					
Discount for prompt Payment of duties, per Report, No. 41,		£2 2 2			
Drawbacks paid, per Report, No. 41,		29 12 9			
Bond sent to the Attorney General for collection,		11 7 0			
10 per cent. Commission on duties,		69 6 7			
Remittances to Treasurer, credited, per Report, No. 87;		235 0 0			
				347 8 6	
Balance in favor of the Province, 31st December, 1834,				£459 6 7½	
Of which there are in Bonds,		£391 3 4			
And in Cash,		68 3 3½			
				£459 6 7½	

On reference to Report, No. 39, it will be seen, that this Officer has short credited 10s. on the ordinary duties collected. The balance will therefore be £459 16 7½

No list of Bonds accompanies this account.

No. 114. Is the general account current, M. L. Backhouse, Deputy Treasurer Sackville, with the Province, for 1834, as follows :—

½ Proceeds of sundry Seizures, 1834,	£19 5 10
Duties collected, per Report, No. 42,	27 13 10
	£46 19 8
He charges,	
10 per cent. Commission on duties,	2 15 4
Balance in favor of the Province,	£44 4 4

Which balance he charges as having remitted the Province Treasurer, but no credit appears for it in that Officer's account.

No. 115. Is an account current, Bill Chappell, Deputy Treasurer Bay Verte, with the Province, for 1834, as follows :—

Duties collected, per Report, No. 43,		£8 5 0
He charges,		
Commission, 10 per cent.	£0 16 6	
Remitted Province Treasurer,	7 8 6	
		£8 5 0

The Treasurer credits in account, per Report, No. 87, £36 8 8½, as received from this Officer. This is correct, as the balance due from Mr. Chappell, £29 0 2½, 31st December, 1833, is not brought forward, and which by adding to £7 8 6, will make up the amount credited.

No. 116. Is the account current, H. G. Clopper, Deputy Treasurer Fredericton, with the Province, for 1834, as follows :—

Sundry duties collected, per Reports, Nos. 44, 45, and 46,		£48 14 3
He charges,		
10 per cent. Commission,	£4 17 4	
Remitted Province Treasurer, credited in account, per Report, No. 87,	43 16 11	
		£48 14 3

No. 117. Is the account current, of James Ketchum, Deputy Treasurer Woodstock, with the Province, made up as follows :—

Duties collected, per Reports, Nos. 47, 48, and 49,		£182 16 5
He charges,		
10 per cent. Commission,	£18 5 7½	
Remittances to Province Treasurer,	142 16 3½	
		161 1 11
Balance in favor of the Province,		£21 14 6

For which the Deputy Treasurer holds a Bond—particulars with account.

The Treasurer credits £234 10 5½, as received from this Officer. By adding the balance in hand, 31st December, 1833, £91 14 2, to the above sum, charged £142 16 3½, it makes the exact amount credited. It is therefore correct.

There is no return, from the Deputy Treasurer Petticodiac. It appears, by reference to last years report, there was in his hands, a balance of £5 10 0.

No. 118. Is a return of seizures made by the Deputy Treasurer at Woodstock, in 1834. Nett proceeds, £16 17 2

No account is given how this money has been applied.

Besides the accounts reported upon, the following have been received, shewing monies collected and disposed of, under the Buoy and Beacon Acts.

T. H. Peters, shewing receipts in 1834, £107 8 5. Old balance in his hands, £15 15 0, making £123 3 5, out of which he has paid the Commissioners, £110. His own charge of Commission, £10 14 10, leaving a balance in his hands of £2 8 7.

Dugald Stewart, Dalhousie. Receipts, £92 6 9, (1834,) less 10 per cent. £9 4 8, leaving £83 2 1. Old balance, £40 4 7, making total in hand, £123 6 8.

Your Committee having finished their report, upon the several accounts and statements submitted to them, have now only to recapitulate the balances, which appear to be due the Province, on the 1st January, 1835, and to particularise the Officers, who held the Money and Bonds at that date.

They are as follow:—

The Hon R. Simonds, Province Treasurer, balance of supplementary account,				£18,534	13	4½
Beverley Robinson, Deputy Treasurer, St. Andrews,						
Balance in hand,	£3,583	17	4½			
Balance of Seamen's Fund, No. 76,	36	9	8½			
				3,620	7	1
C. H. Jouett, Deputy Treasurer West Isles,						
Balance of account current,	1,217	4	1			
Balance of Seamen's fund, No. 77,	5	1	1			
				1,222	5	2
T. H. Peters, Deputy Treasurer Miramichi,						
Balance of account current,	4,003	3	9			
Balance of Seamen's fund, No. 78,	148	18	3			
				4,152	2	0
John W. Weldon, Deputy Treasurer Richibucto,						
Balance of account current,	350	8	3			
Balance of Seamen's fund, No. 79,	57	8	4½			
Do. of Passenger and Emigrant fund, No. 84,	15	1	6			
				422	18	1½
Wm. Hanington, Deputy Treasurer Shediac,						
Balance of account, 31st Dec. 1833,	0	16	10			
Balance of Seamen's fund, 1833,	6	19	3			
				7	16	1
Dugald Stewart, Deputy Treasurer Dalhousie,						
Balance of account current,	496	4	8			
Balance of Seamen's fund, No. 80,	206	3	0			
Balance of Passenger and Emigrant fund, No. 85,	11	14	6			
				714	2	2
John Miller, Deputy Treasurer Bathurst,						
Balance of account current,	459	16	7½			
Balance of Seamen's fund, No. 81,	81	4	4½			
Balance of Passenger and Emigrant fund, No. 86,	54	6	9			
				595	7	9
M. L. Backhouse, Deputy Treasurer Sackville,						
Balance of account current,	44	4	4			
Balance of Seamen's fund, 31st Dec. 1833,	1	4	7			
				45	8	11
W. Wiley, Deputy Treasurer Peticodiac,						
Balance of account current, 31st Dec. 1833, (no return 1834,)				5	10	0
James Ketchum, Deputy Treasurer Woodstock, balance of account current,				21	14	6
Total Balance favoring the Province—				£29,342	5	2

Exclusively of the Bonds in the hands of the Attorney General for collection.

Of the Warrants £42,799 19 8, which have been paid by the Province Treasurer in 1834, the objects may be classed under the following heads:

Education,	Parish Schools,	£5,557	15	3	
	Grammar Schools,	716	17	4	
	College,	1,114	1	2	
					£7,388 13 9
Bounties,	Grain,	£2,855	5	10	
	Erection of Oat Mills,	152	17	1	
	Destruction of Bears,	315	7	5	
	Fish,	10	18	4	
					3,334 8 8
Roads and Bridges,	Great Roads,	£7,232	12	3	
	Bye Roads and Bridges,	7,303	4	11	
					14,535 17 2
Expences of the Legislature,					3,267 1 10
Militia,					1,108 3 2
Apprehension of Deserters,					55 16 9
Public Buildings,					1,240 18 10
Packets and Couriers,					343 4 10
Law Expenses,					714 3 8
Province Contingencies and Agents,					386 2 2
Charitable purposes, including Cholera Hospitals, &c.					4,534 13 9
Miscellaneous,					3,585 1 6
Collection and protection of the Revenue,					2,355 13 7
			Total		£42,799 19 8

The following are the Articles which have produced the Ordinary Duties imposed by the General Assembly, and the Ports at which they have been collected or secured.

RUM.

At St. John,	1,702—Puncheons,		189,367—Gallons,			
Off, exported,	447		50,637			
		1,255	138,730—Gals.	a	1s. 3d.	£8,670 12 6
St. Andrews,	232	26,180				
Off, exported,	20	2,205				
		212	23,975	"	1s. 3d.	1,498 8 9
West Isles,	296	32,374				
Off, exported,	102	11,217				
		194	21,157	"	1s. 3d.	1,322 6 3
Miramichi,	423	47,289				
Off, exported,	20	2,166				
		403	45,123	"	1s. 3d.	2,820 3 9
Richibucto,		52	5,538	"	1s. 3d.	346 2 6
Shediac,		3	335	"	1s. 3d.	20 18 9
Dalhousie,	129	13,748				
Off, exported,	9	917				
		120	12,831	"	1s. 3d.	801 18 9
Bathurst,	83	9,068				
Off, exported,	4	475				
		79	8,593	"	1s. 3d.	537 1 3
Bay Verte,		1	100	"	1s. 3d.	6 5 0
		2,319—puns.	256,382—gals.	at	1s. 3d.	£16,023 17 6

No notice is taken of the unpaid drawbacks in the Treasury, on Rum exported in 1834, for which the requisite Certificates have not yet been lodged,—they amount to about 20,000 Gallons. No Stock was on hand on the 31st December, which leaves the consumption about 23,600 Gallons.

GIN & CORDIALS.

At St. John,	256—Casks.		11,381—Gallons.				
Off, exported,	3		188				
		253		11,193—Gals.	a 1s. 6d.	£839 9 6	
At St. Andrews,		47		2,138	" 1s. 6d.	160 7 0	
Miramichi,		83		6,956	" 1s. 6d.	521 14 0	
Richibucto,		8		637	" 1s. 6d.	47 15 6	
Dalhousie,		13		1,232	" 1s. 6d.	92 8 0	
		404—casks.		22,156—gals.	a 1s. 6d.	£1,661 14 0	

BRANDY.

At St. John,	213—Casks.		19,603—Gallons.				
Off, exported,	8		908				
		205		18,695—Gals.	a 1s. 10d.	£1,713 14 2	
At St. Andrews,		37		3,075	" 1s. 10d.	281 17 8	
Miramichi,		49		5,270	" 1s. 10d.	483 1 8	
Richibucto,		6		450	" 1s. 10d.	41 5 0	
Dalhousie,		11		921	" 1s. 10d.	84 8 6	
Bathurst,		2		191	" 1s. 10d.	17 10 2	
		310—casks.		28,602—gals.	a 1s. 10d.	£2,621 17 0	

WHISKEY.

St. John, 19—Casks. 2,324—Gallons, at 1s. 6d. £174 6 0

N. B. Some Whiskey was imported into Miramichi,—but it is included among the Gin, in the Deputy Treasurer's accounts.

WINE.

At St. John,	745—Casks.			30,075—Gallons.			
Off, exported,	12			321			
		733		29,754—Gals.	a 1s. 9d.	£2,603 9 6	
St. Andrews,		50		1,185	" 1s. 9d.	103 13 9	
Miramichi,	109		3,739				
Off, exported,	1	108	66	3,673	" 1s. 9d.	321 7 9	
Richibucto,	7			568	" 1s. 9d.	49 14 0	
Dalhousie,	15			632	" 1s. 9d.	55 6 0	
Bathurst,	9			106	" 1s. 9d.	9 5 6	
	822—casks.			35,918—gals.	a 1s. 9d.	£3,142 16 6	

MOLASSES.

At St. John,	1,699—Casks		176,211—Gallons.				
Off, exported,	90		8,987				
		1,609		167,224—gals.	a 1d.	£696 15 4	
St. Andrews,		303		31,332	" 1d.	130 11 0	
West Isles,		102		10,761	" 1d.	44 16 9	
Miramichi,		439		47,287	" 1d.	197 0 7	
Richibucto,		96		10,144	" 1d.	42 5 4	
Dalhousie,		122		12,983	" 1d.	54 1 11	
Bathurst,		87		9,469	" 1d.	39 9 1	
		2,758—puns.		289,200—gals.	a 1d.	£1,205 0 0	

BROWN SUGAR.

At St. John,	1,300—Casks.		9,160—Cwts.			
Off, exported,	67		840			
	1,233		8,320 *a* 2s. 6d.	£1,040	0	0
Saint Andrews,	174		1,282 " 2s. 6d.	160	5	0
West Isles,	65		573 " 2s. 6d.	71	12	6
Miramichi,			918 " 2s. 6d.	114	15	0
Richibucto,			250 " 2s. 6d.	31	5	0
Dalhousie,			208 " 2s. 6d.	26	0	0
Bathurst,			40 " 2s. 6d.	5	0	0
			11,591 Cwts.	£1,448	17	6

COFFEE.

At St. John,	21,525 lbs.	*a* 1d.	£89	13	9
St. Andrews,	2,948	" 1d.	12	5	8
West Isles,	243	" 1d.	1	0	3
Miramichi,	5,681	" 1d.	23	13	5
Richibucto,	1,182	" 1d.	4	18	6
Dalhousie,	510	" 1d.	2	2	6
	32,089 lbs.		£133	14	1

LOAF SUGAR.

At St. John,	154,673 lbs.	*a* 1d.	£644	9	5
St. Andrews,	9,180	" 1d.	38	5	0
Miramichi,	13,585	" 1d.	56	12	1
Richibucto,	1,107	" 1d.	4	12	3
Dalhousie,	4,415	" 1d.	18	7	11
	182,960 lbs.		£762	6	8

DRIED FRUITS.

At Saint John,	1,115 Cwt.	*a* 5s.	£277	15	0
Saint Andrews,	2,764 lbs.	" 5s.	6	3	5
Miramichi,	161 Cwt.	" 5s.	40	5	0
Dalhousie,	21	" 5s.	5	5	0
			£329	8	5

The duties on British Manufactures have produced upwards of seven thousand pounds;—Articles of Foreign Production and Manufacture, on which Ad-valorem duties are imposed, upwards of thirteen hundred pounds,—The rest arise from miscellaneous items.

Your Committee are unable to shew what the Parliamentary duties on (Flour, Brandy, Gin, &c.) produce, collected at the Custom House, for the want of the Custom House accounts.

All which is respectfully submitted to this Honorable House.

J. R. PARTELOW.
W. CRANE.
I. WOODWARD.
GEO. D. ROBINSON.
JAMES TAYLOR.
PETER STEWART.
THOS. WYER.

Committee Room, February 5, 1835.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ACCOUNTS

ON THE

ACCOUNTS OF THE SUPERVISORS OF GREAT ROADS, &c.

FREDERICTON, 19th FEBRUARY, 1835.

FREDERICTON to the CANADA LINE.—James A. Maclauchlan, Supervisor.

Grants, 1833,	£800	Amount expended, £968 6 9, including 6 per cent. paid for obtaining Cash for a Warrant of £675, part of the Grant for 1833, and a Balance of £3 3 0 due per Report on his Accounts in the Session of 1833. Balance in favor of the Province, £31 13 3.
" 1834,	200	
	£1,000	

The Supervisor has charged 10 per cent. commission on the discount paid for cashing his Warrant, and also on £3 3 0, the Balance brought forward from old Account. This is incorrect, as the discount should have been taken off the Credit side of the Account and not have formed a charge as now stated. On the £3 3 0 he has already received Commission in the last Account stated. By adding the difference of Commission objected to, (£4 7 7,) the balance in favor of the Province will be £36 0 10. Proper Vouchers and an Affidavit are attached to the Account.

RICHIBUCTO to CHATHAM.—Alexander Goodfellow, Supervisor.

Balance of Grant, 1833,	£750	He charges,—Balance due per Account 31st December, 1833, £766 18 9. Amount expended in 1834, £288 2 6, in all £1,055 1 3.

He credits £750 as received from the Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi, on the first May last, leaving a Balance in favor of the Supervisor of £305 1 3, towards which the grant made in 1834 and not paid will be applicable. The Accounts for the expenditure of 1834, are supported by satisfactory Vouchers and an Affidavit. By reference to the Report of last Session it will be observed, that the Balance then determined to be due the Supervisor was £736 19 2

To which add,

Interest due Gilmour and Co. as there stated,	14 8 7
Carried forward,	£751 7 9

Brought forward,	£751	15	9
And,			
Expenditure of 1834,	288	2	6
	£1,039	10	3
Off,			
Paid in 1834,	750	0	0
Correct balance due Supervisor,	£289	10	3

instead of £305 1 3 as claimed by him. The difference is £15 11 0, and it arises from Mr. Goodfellow's persisting to bring that sum year after year into account against the Province, although it was disallowed so far back as 1831, and at every subsequent annual Report since, besides in fact being refused to him when coming before the House by Petition. Your Committee consider that Mr. Goodfellow's conduct in thus repeatedly attempting to force this claim upon the Province in such a way as inexcusable.

NEWCASTLE to RESTIGOUCHE.—Alexander Goodfellow, one of the Supervisors.

Part of Grant, 1833.	Account stated thus :— Balance 31st December, 1833,	£377	6	3
	Amount expended 1834,	79	0	10
		£456	7	1
He credits :—				
Received from T. H. Peters, Esquire, Deputy Treasurer, Miramichi, part of Grant, 1833,		350	0	0
Balance due the Supervisor,		£106	7	1

for which he will get reimbursed from the grant of 1834 not then paid. The account for the expenditure in 1834, is supported by the requisite Vouchers, and an Affidavit is attached to it. By reference to the Report made last Session it appears that Mr. Goodfellow credited the whole amount of his proportion of the Grant to the Province, and that the Balance as brought forward to new Account and the sum credited, are both incorrectly stated, although there is no difference in reality, and it is only mentioned by your Committee to clear up any obscurity that might appear on a comparison of the two year's reports.

It should be stated thus :—

Balance in favor of Mr. Goodfellow, 31st December, 1833,	£19	16	10
Interest due Gilmour & Co. see Report last Session, Appendix 64,	7	9	5
Expenditure in 1834,	79	0	10
Due Mr. Goodfellow, 31st December, 1834.	£106	7	1

GREAT MARSH IN SAINT JOHN, and part of the Great Road leading from SAINT JOHN to the NOVA SCOTIA LINE.—Benjamin L. Peters, Supervisor.

Grants, 1834 £25
50 part of £250
£75

Amount expended, £94 5 7. He credits £11 10 1, as Balance due the Province 31st December, 1833, and £75 Grants of 1834, with 10*s.* Interest, in all £87 0 1. Balance in his favor £7 5 6. Satisfactory Vouchers and an Affidavit accompany the Account. On reference to the Report of last Session, it appears the Balance in the Supervisor's hands was £44 8 8, instead of £11 10 1 as credited above. The difference £32 18 7 must be charged him, which will make the Balance now against him to be £25 13 1.

NEWCASTLE to RESTIGOUCHE.—Joseph Read, Supervisor.

Grant, 1834,		£225	Amount expended, (including Balance due per Report last Session £50 14 4,) £169 7 0. This Account is supported by the requisite Vouchers and an Affidavit. He credits his proportion of Grant £112 10, less £40, to be expended towards building a Bridge over the confluence of the Middle and Little Rivers and the approaches thereto,
of which,			
J. Read's proportion,	£112 10 0		
A. Goodfellow's do.	£112 10 0		
		£225	

as per Warrant No. 162, which he acknowledges to be in hand. He credits also £27 10*s*, being an appropriation in 1833 for the approaches of Tatagouche Bridge, making in all £100, which leaves a Balance due the Supervisor of £69 7 0.

FREDERICTON to the FINGER BOARD.—Nathaniel Hubbard, Supervisor.

Part of Grant, 1833, £150 } Expenditure, £61 4 2. Balance due him per Report last Session, £88 15 10, in all £150. Vouchers and Affidavit attend this Account. He charges 10 per cent. commission on amount paid George Hayward, Esquire, former Supervisor, £22 14 8. Balance of his Account as reported upon Session 1833, £2 5 5. This is inadmissable.

FREDERICTON to NEWCASTLE.—Bradshaw Rainsford, Supervisor.

Grant, 1834, £200 } Amount expended, £240 13 3. Credit is given for Balance due 31st December, 1833, £46 6 4, and amount of Grant for 1834, £200, leaving a Balance in favor of the Province of £5 13 1. Satisfactory Vouchers and an Affidavit accompany this Account. On reference to the Report of last Session it will be observed, that the Balance in the Supervisor's hands was £50 9 4, instead of £46 6 4, as now credited. By adding the difference £4 3 0, to £5 13 1, it will make the Balance due the Province, £9 16 1.

BELLISLE to SAINT JOHN.—Caleb Wetmore, Supervisor.

Grant, 1834, £25 } Amount expended, (including a Balance due the Supervisor, 31st December, 1833, £2 12 3,) £26 17 7. Credit is given for the amount of Grant £25, leaving a Balance in favor of the Supervisor of £1 17 7. This Account is supported by the requisite Vouchers and an Affidavit. The Supervisor has made an overcharge of Commission of 5*s*. 2*d*, and short credited 1*s*. on the old Balance. By deducting 4*s*. 2*d*. from the above it will leave £1 13 5, in favor of the Supervisor.

FREDERICTON to SAINT JOHN, via NEREPIS.—John M'Donald, Supervisor.

Grant, 1834, £150 } Amount expended, (including Balance due 31st December, 1833, £11 17 3,) £168 1 11. He credits amount of Grant £150, and £25 Warrant on Treasury from His Excellency out of £500, placed at the disposal of the Executive for the purpose, towards the reparation or replacing of Bridges on the Great Roads of Communication, which leaves a balance in favor of the Province of £6 18 1. This Account is supported by the necessary Vouchers and an Affidavit.

Respectfully submitted.

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, 19th February, 1835.

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FREDERICTON, 20th FEBRUARY, 1835.

CARLETON.

Grants, 1833, £12.
8.
£20.

GEORGE BURNETT, Commissioner.
The first for the Road from E. Cogswell's to M'Kenney's.
The second from Michael M'Kenney's to the further end of a Settlement in Brighton.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £8.

WILLIAM BLACKMORE, Commissioner.
Road from M'Indoe's to the Medusnikik.
Expenditure, £8. Unsatisfactory. No Affidavit attached to it.

Grant, 1833, £25.

BENJAMIN NOBLE, Commissioner.
Road from Daniel Shaw's to Gray's Creek.
Expenditure, £25. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £50.

JAMES A. MACLAUCHLAN, Commissioner.
Removing obstructions in the Meductic Falls.
Expenditure, £47 12 1. Due the Province, £2 7 11.
No Commission charged. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £20.
15.
£35.

NATHANIEL LASKIE, Commissioner.
Road from the River to the Cold Stream, North side of Pequagomick; and
Road from the Mouth of the Cold Stream to John Clarke's.
Expenditure, £35 6 3. Due Commissioner, 6s. 3d.
Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. STEPHEN G. BURPE, Commissioner.
Road from John Boyer's Mill to a back Settlement.
Expenditure, £20. Unsatisfactory for want of Vouchers.

Grant, 1833, £12. WILLER CHAPMAN, Commissioner.
Road from Willer Chapman's to the Moody Farm.
Expenditure, £12. Satisfactory.

YORK.

Grants, 1833, £45.
15.
£60.

ISRAEL SMITH, and HENRY FISHER, Commissioners.
The first to erect a Bridge across Baker's Mill Stream in the Parish of Fredericton.
The second for the Road from the School House in New-Maryland Settlement to the County Line.
Expenditure, £60. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. ALEXANDER MITCHELL, Commissioner.
Road from A. Mitchell's to George Stewart's.
Unsatisfactory for want of Affidavit.

Grant, 1833, £20. ROBERT M'LEAN, Commissioner.
Road from William Lockhart's to Magaguadavic Ridge.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. JESSE CHRISTY, Commissioner.
Road from Jouett's Mills to the Mactiquack Settlement.
Expenditure, £15. Unsatisfactory for want of Affidavit.

Grant, 1833, £20. ALEXANDER ROSS, Commissioner.
Tay Creek Road, from Lot No. 8 to No. 24.
Expenditure, £19 16 5. Due Province, 3s. 7d.
Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. WILLIAM BOYD, Commissioner.
Road in the Tay Creek Settlement.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. ARCHIBALD MOODY, Commissioner.
Road from Lake George to William Lockhart's, (Magundy.)
Expenditure, £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. THOMAS JONES, Commissioner.
Road along West's Line to Poquiock Settlement.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

SUNBURY.

Grant, 1833, £30. THOMAS NASON, Commissioner.
Road from Solomon Tracey's to Thomas Hartt's.
Expenditure, £30 2 0. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £15.
10.
——
£25.
JEREMIAH SMITH, Commissioner.
The first for the Road from J. Smith's to the Nerepis Road.
The second for the Road from James Shield's to the Gary Road.
Expenditure, £25. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1832, £30. WILLIAM GORDON, Commissioner.
Road from Burpe's Mill in Burton, to the Greenfield Settlement.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1832, £25.
10.
——
£35.
JAMES TILLEY, Commissioner.
The first for Road from Oak Point to Little River.
The second for Road from James Tilley's to the thoroughfare in Sheffield.
Expenditure, £35. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £50. THOMAS NASON, Commissioner.
Road from Andrew Smith's to Thomas Hartt's.
Expenditure, £50 3 11. The Commissioner, besides the usual Commission, has charged £3 17 6 for a job of work, and eleven days work, at 5s. £2 15 0. The account besides, is generally exceptionable.

Grant, 1833, £60. WILLIAM SMITH, Commissioner.
Road from James Till's to E. Seely's.
Expenditure, £60. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £25. WILLIAM SMITH, Commissioner.
Road from William Boone's to Thomas Stennick's.
Expenditure, £25. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £150. JOHN BAILEY, Commissioner.
South Branch Bridge in Sunbury.
Expenditure, £154 12 3. Due Commissioner, £4 12 3. Satisfactory.

QUEEN'S.

Grants, 1833, £50.
30.
——£80.
JOHN M'LEAN, Commissioner.
The first for the Road from Coal Creek to Young's Cove.

The second for the Road from Irving's Mill to Robert Elliott's in the new Settlement.
Expenditure, £81 6 10. Due Commissioner, £1 6 10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £30. JOHN HUMPHREYS, Commissioner.
Road leading from New Canaan to the Butternut Ridge.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £30.
25.
—
£55.
PETERS YEAMANS, Commissioner.
Road from Stephen Thorn's to Newcastle.
Road from Newcastle to Hard Wood Ridge.
Expenditure, £55 9 0. Due Commissioner, 9s. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £80. WILLIAM SLIP, Commissioner.
Bridge at Little River.
Expenditure, £80. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £30.
30.
—
£60.
RICHARD HEWLETT, Commissioner.
Road from Simeon Graham's to Jones' Mill, and Road from William Slip's, through the New Ireland Settlemant by Redston's Mill.
Expenditure, £61 2 9. The Commissioner credits the amount of Grants, and 22s. 9d. interest. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £100.
100.
50.
—
£250.
THOMAS T. HEWLETT, Commissioner.
The first for building a Bridge over Nerepis Stream.
The two last for the Road from Gagetown to Nerepis.
Expenditure, £240 12 3½. The Commissioner credits the amount of Grants £250 0 0. Interest £2 7 7, and balance due per report last Session £4 9 4½, in all £256 16 11½. Balance in favor of the Province £16 4 8. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £20. JOHN HUMPHREYS, Commissioner.
Road from New Canaan to Studholm's Mill Stream.
Expenditure, £20 6 3. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £20.
25.
15.
10.
—
£70.
JOHN ROBERTSON, Commissioner.
The first for the Road from Little River to Stephen Thorn's.
The second for the Road from Gershom Clark's to the Cross Road near Joseph Carle's.
The third from Sunbury Line to Little River.
The fourth for the Road from Brill's to the Maquapet Lake.
Expenditure, £70. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £25. JOHN SECORD, Commissioner.
Road from Long Creek to Philip White's.
Expenditure, £25. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £25. JOHN SECORD, Commissioner.
Road from Salmon Creek to the Scotch Settlement.
Expenditure, £25. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. THOMAS THORNE, Commissioner.
Road from William Little's to Shearer's.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £25.
30.
10.
10.
——
£75.

JAMES M'DONALD, Commissioner.
The first for Road from M'Donald's to Salmon River Mills.
The second for the Road from M'Donald's to Coal Creek.
The third for the Road from Ironbound Cove to M'Donald's Mills.
The last for a Bridge over Red Bank Creek, Salmon River.
Expenditure, £68 5 4. Balance in his hands, £6 14 8. Satisfactory.

KING'S.

Grant, 1833, £10. JOHN Q. NASE, Commissioner.
Road from John Stephenson's to Dennis Finlay's.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. WILLIAM WHITING, Commissioner.
Road from Henry Piers' to Belisle Bay.
Expenditure, £9. The Commissioner credits the grant as only being £9, when by reference to the Act it appears £10. The balance against him is, therefore, 20s. which must be accounted for.

Grant, 1833, £10. WILLIAM PUDDINGTON, Commissioner.
Road from Milkish Settlement to the Kennibeckasis.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. JEREMIAH MABEE, Commissioner.
Building a Bridge near James Peters'.
Expenditure, £15 13 6. Received Grant, £15, and Interest, 8s. 6d. Due Commissioner, 5s. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £10. THOMAS FOWLER, Commissioner.
Road from Lyon's to Milkish.
Expenditure, £10. Unsatisfactory for want of Affidavit.

JAMES REID has produced the requisite Vouchers for the expenditure of £10 2 6 on the Road from Salmon Rock, on the Nerepis Stream, to James Brighton's Mills.
Account reported upon last Session as unsatisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20 0 0
Interest, 0 6 1
£20 6 1

JAMES CAMPBELL, Commissioner.
Road from Robinson's to Deforest's Lake.
Expenditure, £20 6 9. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £10.

ABRAHAM GOOD, Commissioner.
Road from David Kiersted's to the Road leading to Good's Mill.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15.

CHRISTOPHER WILSON, Commissioner.
Road leading from James Crawford's Mill to Matthew Smith's in the Irish Settlement.
Expenditure, £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £25.

JAMES HENDRICKS, Commissioner.
Road from Hendricks' Cottage to the main Road near the Widow Spence's.
Expenditure, £28 7 6. Due Commissioner, £3 7 6.
Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15 0 0
Interest, 0 7 3
£15 7 3

DAVID JOHNSTON, Commissioner.
Road from the Bridge near Haney's to the head of Bellisle.
Expenditure, £15 7 3. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20.

HENRY PARLEE, Commissioner.
Road from near Robert M'Leod's to the main Road near James Sherwood's.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10.

JOHN TROTT, Commissioner.
Road from Trott's and others to the Yorkshire Settlement.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15.

BENJAMIN W. CRAWFORD, Commissioner.
Road from John Lyon's to the Road leading from Bates' to Bostwick's.
Expenditure, £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15.

JOHN PEARSON, Commissioner.
Road from Thomas Shearer's to the Road leading through the English Settlement.
Expenditure, £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20.

WILLIAM GIBBON, Commissioner.
Road from Good's Mill to William Gibbon's.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. SAMUEL GOSLINE, Commissioner.
Road from Gosline's Bridge to the main Road near Stockton's.
Expenditure £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. RICHARD SPRAGG, Jun. Commissioner.
Road from Marvin's Mill to Richard Spragg's, Belisle Bay.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant 1833, £10. JAMES HOYT, Commissioner.
Road from James Hoyt's to the head of the Settlement on Salmon River.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. SAMUEL LACKEY, Commissioner.
Road from S. Lackey's to E. M'Mackin's.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. DONALD M'GREGOR, Commissioner.
Road from the old Church to the West Scotch Settlement, so described—supposed to be the road from M'Cole's to Spragg's near the old Church.
Expenditure, £10. Unsatisfactory. £6 0 9 of the amount being charged for his own work, with oxen and plough; twenty days, at 3s. 6d. £3 10 0, paid William M'Gregor, and the other 10s. being for Commission.

Grants, 1833, £15.
10.
£25.
CALEB WETMORE, Commissioner.
The first for the Road from Nickerson's Cove to the main Road.
The second for the Road from the main Road near Caleb Wetmore's to Gondola Point.
Expenditure, £25 7 0. Due Commissioner, 7s. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. HENRY FOWLER, Junr. Commissioner.
Road from the River near Henry Fowler's to the County Line, towards the Milligan Settlement.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1831, £12.
12.
£24.
DONALD M'GREGOR, Commissioner.
The first from the main Road near the Scotch Church to the Widow M'Cole's.
The second from the main Road near the Scotch Church to Peter Dewar's.
Expenditure, £22 18 6. Objectionable on the ground that all the work appears to have been done by the Commissioner and his family, except to the amount of £2 16 0.

SAINT JOHN.

Grant, 1833, £15. JAMES BRICKLEY, Commissioner.
Road from the old Quaco Road to the Milligan Settlement.
Expenditure, £15. Unsatisfactory for want of Vouchers.

Grant, 1833, £30. JAMES BROWN and JOHN MORRISON, Commissioners.
Road from M'Bratney's farm to Tynemouth, and from thence to Quaco.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. GEORGE HARDING, Commissioner.
Road from the Brother's leading to the Indian Town Road.
Expenditure, £15. No commission charged. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £15. THOMAS BRUN, Commissioner.
Road from Little River to Anthony's farm.
Expenditure, £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £25. JACOB BRADSHAW, Commissioner.
For improving the Road over the West head of large Quaco Creek.
Expenditure, £25. No commission charged. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £25. GEORGE BALL, Commissioner.
Road from Little River to Anthony's farm, and for repairing a Bridge at Bran's Creek.
Expenditure, £32 0 6. Due Commissioner, £7 0 6. Unsatisfactory for want of Affidavit.

CHARLOTTE.

Grant, 1833, £50. HARRIS HATCH, Commissioner.
Road (on the Great Road) from S. Connick's to Benjamin Bradford's, Parish of Saint Andrews.
Expenditure, £47 5 11. Due Province, £2 14 1. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. JAMES PARKINSON, Commissioner.
Road from Poor House in Saint Andrews to Daniel Grant's farm.
Expenditure, £15. No Commission charged. Unsatisfactory for want of Affidavit.

Grant, 1833, £25. ROBERT THOMPSON, Commissioner.
Road from Philo Sealey's to the mouth of L'Etang Harbour.
Expenditure, £25. No Commission charged. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. HUGH FLAHERTY, Commissioner.
To open a Road to the Lands allotted for Pensioners in rear of Lake Utopia.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. ROBERT DIFFIN, Commissioner.
Road from the Rolling Dam to R. Diffin's in Saint Patrick.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

WESTMORLAND.

Respecting Grant of 1831, for Bridge, reported upon last Session. JOHN M'RAE, Commissioner.
Explanation regarding the £14 10 adverted to, as being without Vouchers. Commissioner has since expended £10 on the Bridge for which two receipts are furnished, and an Affidavit is attached to the whole Expenditure. Balance now due Commissioner, £27 14 0. Still unsatisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. JOHN KEILLOR, Commissioner.
Road from main Road in Dorchester to Crossman's, by way of William Mitten's.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £10. CHARLES STEVES, Commissioner.
Road from Job Steves' to the Back Settlement.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £10. ROBERT BELL, Commissioner.
Road leading from James Crandall's to John Hope's.
Expenditure, £10 11 6. Due Commissioner, 11*s.* 6*d.* Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. WILLIAM READ, Commissioner.
Road from Jolicour to Wm. Read's.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £15. DANIEL WHEATON, Commissioner.
Road from James M'Fees to John Jones's.
Expenditure, £15. No Commission charged. For £11 in amount of the work, Vouchers are produced to shew that it was done by Thomas Wheaton and Martin Wheaton. No rates stated, nor the number of days. Unsatisfactory.

Balance of Account, due per Report 1833, £8 7 0. JOHN BEATY, Commissioner.
Satisfactory Vouchers are produced for the expenditure of this Balance.

Grants, 1833, £75.
25.
———
£100

JOHN BEATY, Commissioner.
For a Bridge over M'Latchey's Creek and for the Road from Stephen Steves' to Stoney Creek.
Expenditure, £91 16 11. Balance in hand, £8 3 1, which he has retained until some Contracts are thoroughly finished. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10.

WILLIAM C. SMITH, Commissioner.
For Scoudiac Bridge.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10.

JOHN RAWORTH, Commissioner.
Road from John Raworth's to the Emigrant Settlement.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £17 10.

NATHAN LAWRENCE, Commissioner.
Road from Tingley's to Eliphalet Read's.
Expenditure, £17 10. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10.

JOHN BARNES, Commissioner.
Road from Anderson's by Richard Lowerison's to John Barnes' Mill.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £15.
10.
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£25.

JOHN PALMER, Commissioner.
Road from Thomas Carter's to Crowson's Mill, and Road from Thomas Carter's to George Buck's.
Expenditure, £25. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £30.

ANDREW MURRAY, Commissioner.
Road from Andrew Murray's to Gaspereaux Bridge.
Expenditure, £28 19 0. Due Province, 21*s*. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15.

SIMON LEGERE, Commissioner.
For Beaujoggin Bridge.
Expenditure, £15. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £30.

EDWARD DIXON, Commissioner.
Road from Richardson's to Crossman's.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £20.

LORANG BABINO, Commissioner.
Road from Shemogue to Tedish.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £20.

GEORGE COCHRAN, Commissioner.
Road from William Taylor's to Benjamin Lounsburry's.
Expenditure, £20. Price of Labor not stated.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

Grant, 1833, £20. JAMES RUSSELL, Senr. Commissioner.
Road from the Farm of Edward Flynn's on the Great Bartebog, to the Bathurst Road near Russell's Mill.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £50. GEORGE PEABODY and CHARLES TOZER, Commissioners.
Road from the Wild Cat Brook to the first granted Land above the Indian Reserve, in the Parish of Northesk.
Expenditure, £50. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £20.
20.
10.
30.
—
£80.

FRANCIS M'KNIGHT, B. WILLISTON, and J. M'DONALD, Commissioners.
The first, for the Road from Thomas Hannay's to A. M'Naughton's, on the South side of Napan River.
The second, from Donald M'Donald's, South side of Napan River, to Thomas Hannay's.
The third, from George Kerr's Lot to the Main Road, South side Napan River.
The last, from Horton's Creek, near the Mouth of Bay du Vert River, to Point Esquiminac.
Expenditure, £80. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £30. WILLIAM CARMAN and GEORGE KERR, Commissioners.
For opening a Road from the Settlement in rear of T. H. Peters' towards the Napan Road in Chatham.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. WILLIAM CARMAN and GEORGE KERR, Commissioners.
Road from near the residence of the Rev. S. Bacon to the second tier of Lots in rear thereof.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

GLOUCESTER.

Grant, 1833, £27 10. JOHN DERAN and VALENTINE GIBB, Commissioners.
Road from Pokemouche towards Shippegan.
Expenditure, £27 10 0. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. VALENTINE GIBB and AUGUSTIN LAUNDRY, Commissioners.
Road from the River Wough to the Ferry at Point de la Croix.
Expenditure, £10. Satisfactory.

Gants, 1833, £20.
15.
—
£35.

ROBERT ROBINSON and ROBERT YOUNG, Commissioners.
The first, for the Road from the Little Tracady River to Lewis Douron's Ferry.
The second, from Lewis Douron's Ferry to the Northumberland Line.
Expenditure, £35. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. VALENTINE GIBB and A. LAUNDRY, Commissioners.
Road from Point de la Croix to Little Tracady River.
Expenditure, £20. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1831, £20. MATTHEW and JOHN PARROTT, Commissioners.
Road from Teague's Brook to Pokeshaw.
Expenditure, £20. Some of the Vouchers unsatisfactory—and 46*s*. charged without any Vouchers.

Grant, 1833, £30. CHARLES COGHLAN and JOHN GEONET, Commissioners.
Bridge over the River Wough.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. CHARLES COGHLAN and JOHN GEONET, Commissioners.
Road from lower part of the Caràquet Settlement towards Shippegan.
Expenditure, £15 13 1. Credit is given for the Grant £15 0 0, and 13*s*. 1*d*. received from Edward Boutillier. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £20.
10.
£30.
JAMES M'PHERSON, Commissioner.
Bridge over Lousion River, and to finish the Bridge over the Benjamin River.
Expenditure, £30. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £80. CHARLES COGHLAN and JOHN GEONET, Commissioners.
Road for the Portage between Pokemouche and Caraquet.
Expenditure, £80. Satisfactory.

KENT.

Grant, 1833, £8. PASCAL PORIER, Commissioner.
Road leading up on the North side of Shediac River.
Expenditure, £8, of which 15*s*. is a charge of Commission instead of 8*s*. Balance therefore against the Commissioners 7*s*.

Balance due, 1833, £12 5 9. JAMES LONG, Commissioner.
Expenditure, £12 15 1. Due Commissioner, 9*s*. 4*d*. Satisfactory.

Grants, 1833, £25.
15.
£40.
JAMES LONG, Commissioner.
Road from the Mills on the great Bouctouche River to the Great Road, and for a Bridge over the Creek leading to the Cape round Cocagne Bay.
Expenditure, £37 0 11. Due the Province £2 19 1. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. JOHN ANDERSON, Commissioner.
Road on the South side of Cocagne River from Thomson's up.
Expenditure, £20. Unsatisfactory for want of Affidavit.

Grant, 1833, £20. COLIN RANKIN, Commissioner.
Road and Bridges on the South side of Kouchibouguac River.
Expenditure, £22. He credits amount of Grant £20, and 18*s.* 4*d.* balance of Account reported upon, Session 1833, leaving 21*s.* 8*d.* favoring the Commissioner. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £15. PLACIDE GUIGAN, Commissioner.
Road from the Mill on the North side of Cocagne River.
Expenditure, £14 18 7. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £20. RAPHAEL PORRIER, Commissioner.
Road from the Grand Dig to the Cape.
Expenditure, £17 1 8. Due the Province, £2 18 4. Vouchers unsatisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £40. HYPOLITE BOURKE and CHARLES SURAT, Jun. Commissioners.
Bridge West side Cocagne Bay.
Expenditure, £40. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £10. JOHN P. FORD, Commissioner.
Road from the School House at Ford's to Church Point.
Expenditure, £10. No Commission charged. Satisfactory.

Grant, 1833, £30. JOHN P. FORD, Commissioner.
Road from Ford's Mill to Nicholas River.
Expenditure, £42 15 9. Credit is given for Grant £30, and £11 4 5 old Balance, 1833. Due Commissioner £1 11 4. Satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted.

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, 19th February, 1835.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ACCOUNTS

ON

LIGHT HOUSES, &c.

FREDERICTON, 21st FEBRUARY, 1835.

MR. PARTELOW, from the Committee of public and private Accounts, reported, that they had the following Accounts under their consideration :—

No. 1. Is an Account of the Commissioners of Light Houses, for the Bay of Fundy, with the Province, as follows :—

Oil and other contingencies for these Buildings, in 1834,				£196	5	1
New Lamps, Reflectors, Machinery, &c. for Gannet Rock and Point Leproe Light Houses,				245	11	1
Commission to Mr. Donaldson, one of the Commissioners, and for his journies to Le Proe, &c.				22	1	10
				£463	18	0
Cr.						
By Balance in hand, per Report last Session,	£136	18	11			
Warrant on the Treasury, (Grant, 1834,)	400	0	0			
Do. appropriation for Road,	15	0	0			
Old Copper, Oil Dregs, &c. sold,	3	10	5			
				555	9	4
Balance in favor of the Province,				£91	11	4

This Account is signed by R. W. Crookshank, John Ward, Jun., Thomas Barlow, and L. Donaldson, the four Commissioners, and is sworn to. It is accompanied by a long and interesting Report from them, to which your Committee refer.

No. 2. Is an Account of the Commissioners of Partridge Island and Beacon Light Houses with the Province, viz :—

Oil and other contingencies for these Buildings, in 1834,				£122	19	2
They Credit :—						
Balance in hand, per Account, 31st December, 1833,	£50	16	0			
Received from Province Treasurer, on Account, Grant, 1834,	90	0	0			
Returned from the Keeper of Beacon Light, Boat Hire,	0	10	0			
				141	6	0
Balance in favor of the Province,				£18	6	10

This Account is signed by John Ward and L. Donaldson, the two Commissioners, and is sworn to.

No. 3. Is an Account of the Commissioners of Machias Seal Island and Head Harbour Light Houses, with the Province, as follows:—

Balance in their favour. per Account, 31st December, 1833,	£145	18	7
Oil and other contingencies for these buildings, 1834,	415	13	9
	£561	12	4
They Credit:—			
Amount of Appropriation for 1834, received from Treasurer,	500	0	0
Balance in favor of the Commissioners,	£61	12	4

This Account is signed by James Allanshaw, John Wilson, and James Campbell, the three Commissioners, and is sworn to. It is also accompanied by an Account shewing the expenditure of £15, granted last Session, for the improvement of the Road leading from Wilson's Beach to Head Harbour Light House.

No. 4. Is an Account, James Allanshaw, and Thomas Wyer, Commissioners of Buoys and Beacons for the inner Bay of Passamaquoddy, shewing expenses that have been incurred in building a House for the keeper of the Light at Indian Point. The amount is £111 0 3, and proper Vouchers accompany the Account.

No. 5. Is an Account of the Commissioners of Saint Paul's Island Lights, shewing the expenses which have arisen in supporting the Establishment on that Island in 1834, for the relief of Shipwrecked Mariners. It amounts to £319 14 7—is signed by Alexander Rankin and Wm. Abrams, the Commissioners, and their Affidavit of its correctness is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, February 21, 1835.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ACCOUNTS

ON

THE HON. MR. PARKER'S ACCOUNTS,

WHILE

ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL.

FREDERICTON, 27st FEBRUARY, 1835.

MR. PARTELOW, from the Committee of public and private Accounts, reported, that having under their examination the Accounts of the Honorable Robert Parker, while Acting Attorney General, submit the following Report:—

No. 1. Is a list of Bonds sent to him for collection by the Treasurer, including one from the Deputy Treasurer of Northumberland, between the 1st April and 8th September, 1828, amounting to £596 14 5.

Of these, three from Saint John amounting to £241 3 4 without Interest, (viz: £75 14 6, £87 12 11 and £77 15 11,) and one from Miramichi, £37 15 11, in all £279 19 3 were in the course of prosecution when the present Attorney General succeeded to Office, and were handed over to him. The others were recovered.

No. 2. Is the Account current, Robert Parker, Esquire, with the Province, made up as follows:—

Cash paid the Treasurer, credited in his Account 1828,							£310	0	0
Do. do. Deputy Treasurer, Saint Andrews, credited 1828,							138	0	0
Costs in these Suits, on proceedings subsequently brought to a close by the present Attorney General, £6 9 2, £3 4 7, £4 3 0,							13	16	9
Commission 4 per cent. on Amount collected, £479 3 9,							19	2	0
							£480	18	9
He credits:—									
Amount received for four Bonds put in Suit by himself,				£329	3	6			
The following receipts for Bonds prosecuted by the late Attorney General Wetmore, viz:—									
T. Turner's Balance per statement 1827, No. 39, in summary of Report on late Attorney General's Accounts, including interest,	£27	6	6						
Campbell and Huddleston's Bond with In-									
Carried forward,	£27	6	6	329	3	6	480	18	9

Brought forward,	£27	6	6	329	3	6	480	18	9
terest No. 36, same report,	59	7	6						
Rankin and Thompson, No. 38, with Interest, same Report,	12	16	3						
Marks and Babb, No. 41, with Interest, same Report,	50	10	0						
				150	0	3	479	3	9
Balance in favor of Mr. Parker,							£1	15	0

Besides this £1 15 0, Mr. Parker charges 23*s.* 4*d*, for preparing a Warehousing Bond for the late Treasurer, which makes the Balance £2 18 4. It appears that Mr. Parker has recovered the following costs, which were earned by the late Attorney General and are charged by the Executors in Account against the Province.

On No. 36, stated above,	£8	0	0
No. 38, do.	7	6	3
	£15	6	3
Out of which he charges this sum paid C. S. Putnam, Clerk of the Crown, for filing sundry papers, &c. in Suits carried on by the late Attorney General,	6	0	0
Balance of Costs recovered,	£9	6	3

which he has carried to credit of Estate of late T. Wetmore, Esquire. Your Committee consider this to be incorrect, as the Costs were due the late Attorney General from the Province, and the Executors have charged them in Account. By deducting therefore the balance stated to be due £2 18 4 from the above £9 6 3, it will leave a Balance against Mr. Parker of £6 7 11.

The present Attorney General will of course account to the Province for the Costs £13 16 9 charged as having accrued on the Suits commenced by Mr. Parker, but brought to a close and recovered by him.

The late Attorney General's estate must be charged with the following sums :—

This amount paid C. S. Putnam as above,	£6	0	0
Overcharge on Costs in Suit No. 36, see Report on Accounts late Attorney General, page 29, £8 6 6 charged, £8 recovered,	0	6	6
Do. do. No. 38, see same Report and page, £8 7 9 charged, £7 6 3 recovered,	1	1	6
Total,	£7	8	0

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, 27th February, 1835.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ACCOUNTS

ON THE

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S ACCOUNTS

AND

GOVERNMENT HOUSE REPAIRS.

FREDERICTON, 2d MARCH, 1835.

MR. PARTELOW, from the Committee of public and private Accounts, reported, that they had the following Accounts, &c. under examination :—

No. 1. Is a Statement of Bonds sent to the Attorney General for collection, in 1834, and those remaining over, December 31st, 1833, with the proceedings which have been had thereon. From this it appears that nothing remains to be accounted for, except those which have come into his hands, since his accession to office, and which were in the course of prosecution by the late Attorney General Wetmore.

No. 2. Is the General Account Current, the Attorney General with the Province, as follows :—

Cash paid Treasurer, per Receipt, in 1834,				£1,915	0	0
" Deputy Treasurer Robinson,				393	6	2
Commission on £2,400, 4 per cent.				96	0	0
				£2,404	6	2
He credits :—						
Receipts from sundries for Bonds prosecuted,	2,050	9	5			
Do. on account of Bonds handed over by Executors of late Attorney General,	222	15	3			
Do. Costs in Estey's case charged in former Account,	8	16	4			
Do. late Supervisor of Road from Fredericton to St. Andrews, balance,	129	10	0			
Balance due, December 31st, 1833,	7	4	11			
				2,418	15	11
Balance in favor of the Province,				£14	9	9

On reference to the account reported upon last Session, it will appear that the balance then due by the Attorney General was £13 13 0 instead of £7 4 11, difference in favor of the Province £6 8 1. The Attorney General has overcharged £3 13 5, as

as Commission, and also £10, in the same account, on a Warrant favouring Alexander Davidson, for £250, which is carried to the debit of the Province, as money. This sum was granted to Mr. Davidson in 1833, to relieve him, for the reasons then stated, from the operation of some Extents for liabilities on Bonds on which he was Surety; and your Committee do not conceive that the Attorney General is entitled to the Commission for the mere closing of the proceedings under such circumstances. By making the corrections the account will stand thus:—

Balance, as stated,	£14	9	9
Balance of last Account brought forward incorrectly—difference,	6	8	1
Overcharge of Commission,	3	13	5
Do. do.	10	0	0
Due from Attorney General,	£34	11	3

The Receipts from Deputy Treasurer Robinson correspond with the amount charged by the Attorney General.

The Deputy Treasurer credits in his Account £401 19 6, as received during 1834. The cause of this difference requires explanation.

No. 3. Is an Account of James Taylor, Senr. & Co., shewing particulars of repairs made, and expenses incurred on and about the Government House and premises, amounting to £165 4 9.

Respectfully submitted.

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, 2d March, 1835.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ACCOUNTS

ON

SALE OF TOWN LOTS IN FREDERICTON.

FREDERICTON, 2d MARCH, 1835.

MR. PARTELOW, from the Committee of public and private Accounts having had under their examination the Account, sent down by Message from His Excellency, relating to the monies arising from the Sale of Town Lots in Fredericton, "directed by Mr. Stanley's despatch of August 1833, to be applied in promoting the improvement of the Town," submit the following Report:—

No. 1. Is an Account, Commissioners for superintending the Sale of Land lying in front of the Town Plat of Fredericton, with Wm. Taylor, made up as follows:—

Feby. 1826,	Charges on Sale of 10 Lots of Land,	£86	7	4
Dec. 1828,	D. L. Robinson, drawing Bonds,	5	16	8
Feby. 1829,	Cash paid into Bank of New Brunswick, for Account of Sir Howard Douglas,	100	0	0
April, 1831,	James Taylor, at sundry times, for expenses incurred by him in improving public ground, erecting Fence around Province Hall, &c. &c.	425	7	4
April, 1832,	Cash paid into Bank of New Brunswick by order of Sir A. Campbell,	300	0	0
" "	Commission on receiving and paying £1,142 17 4, 2½ per cent.	28	1	5
Jany. 1833,	Balance paid to Receiver General, by order of Sir A. Campbell,	236	17	6
		£1,182	10	3

He credits:—

Sept. 1830,	Received from John Simpson, on account of Lots purchased by him,	£192	4	3	
April, 1831,	Received from Mr. Pickard, for do.	465	0	0	
Jany. 1832,	Do. " J. Balloch, do.	200	0	0	
April, "	Do. " T. B. Smith, do.	90	0	0	
" "	Do. " J. Simpson, do.	145	6	0	
Dec. "	Do. " A. Coy, on account of his and T. B. Smith's Bond,	90	0	0	
					£1,182 10 3

No. 2. Is an Account of Monies arising from the Sale of the Lots and their application.

Credit :—

Amount paid in by Wm. Taylor, Esquire, per Account,		£536	17	6
" by the Commissioner of Crown Lands,		161	0	0
" " Honorable Mr. Saunders,		170	0	0
Balances due from sundry persons, amounting to		609	4	0
Total funds,		£1,477	1	6
Applied as follows :—				
To H. J. Hansard, for Macadamizing King Street, per Contract,	£834 0 0			
Commissioners of Highways for making Cess Pools and Drains for carrying off the Water from the Streets,	420 11 6			
		1,254	11	6
Funds not yet applied,		£222	10	0

It will be observed, by reference to Mr. Taylor's Account, that the sum of £100 was paid into the Bank in February 1829, to the credit of Sir Howard Douglas, the then Lieutenant Governor. This does not appear to the credit of the Town in No. 2.

Respectfully submitted.

J. R. PARTELOW, *Chairman.*

Committee Room, 2d March, 1885.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE

ON

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ACCOUNTS

ON THE

CASUAL REVENUE ACCOUNTS, &c.

FREDERICTON, 3d MARCH, 1835.

MR. PARTELOW, from the Committee appointed report on the Casual Revenue Accounts, for 1834, submitted the following Report :—

No. 1. Is an abstract in gross of the quantity of Timber and Saw Logs licensed on Crown Lands, during the year ending 31st December, 1834, as follow :—

Timber,	150,294 Tons.
Superficial feet of Lumber,	16,261,500

No. 2. Is a detailed Account of the quantity of Land sold during the year ending 31st December, 1834, with the names of the purchasers, and the price at which the same was sold, viz :—

Acres, 42,122. Amount, £6,967 4 6

No. 3. Is an account of the Receipts and Expenditure of the King's Casual Revenue in New Brunswick in 1834, as follow :—

Balance in favor of the Revenue, per Account 31st December, 1833,				£4,531	15	5¾
Gross proceeds of Tonnage on Timber cut on Crown Lands,	£11,685	18	11			
Gross proceeds of Lands sold and leased,	5,893	11	9¾			
Contingencies collected at the Crown Land Office,	3,466	17	6			
Contingencies collected at the Provincial Secretary's Office,	303	3	4			
				21,349	11	6¾
Total Currency,				£25,881	7	0½

EXPENDITURE.

CIVIL.

Salary of the Lieutenant Governor and compensation for Staff pay, for 4 quarters, or 1 year,	£4,038	9	0			
Salary of the Provincial Secretary for the same period,	1,599	11	0			
Do. of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, do.	2,019	4	4			
Carried forward,	£7,657	4	4	25,881	7	0½

Brought forward,	£7,657	4	4				25,881	7	0½
Do. of the Indoor establishment of the Crown Land Office,	1,010	0	0						
Do. of the Receiver General,	346	3	0						
Do. of the Auditor,	346	3	0						
Do. of the Emigrant Agent, Saint John,	115	7	8						
Do. Do. Miramichi,	57	13	8						
Do. Do. St. Andrews,	57	13	8						
Do. of the Private Secretary to the Lieutenant Governor,	230	15	4						
Do. of one Commissioner of Quit Rents,	115	7	8						
Annuity to Mr. Lockwood, late Surveyor General for ½ year,	86	10	9						
Donation to King's College,	1,111	2	2						
Do. to the Indians,	60	0	0						
Government Contingencies,	333	6	8						
				£11,527	7	11			
JUDICIAL.									
Salary of the Chief Justice from 1st January to 24th May, and from 1st October to 31st December, 1834,	£710	4	11						
Do. of one of the Assistant Judges for one year,	750	0	0						
Do. do. from 1st January to 22d August,	483	18	0						
Do. do. for 3 Quarters,	562	10	0						
Do. do. from 1st September to 31st December,	184	18	7						
Do. do. from 6th October to 31st December,	178	15	4						
Do. of the Attorney General, 1 year,	634	12	0						
				£3,504	18	10			
ECCLESIASTICAL.									
Government allowance to the Presbyterian Minister Saint John,	57	13	8						
MISCELLANEOUS.									
Surveys for the New Brunswick Land Company,	359	12	6						
Surveys and Inspections of Crown Lands in various parts of the Province,	1,616	6	11						
Amount charged as expence of a Special Messenger with Despatches from the Secretary of State, forwarded from United States,	75	0	0						
Expenses incurred in enforcing collection of Quit Rents,	214	3	8						
Contingent expenses of the Crown Land Office from the 1st January to 30th June,	122	1	9						
Office Rent, Contingencies and servi-									
	£2,424	18	6	15,032	6	9	25,881	7	0½

Brought Forward	£2,424	18	6	15,032	6	9	25,881	7	0½
ces of Mr. Robinson as a Commissioner of Accounts,	75	0	0						
Contingent expenses of prosecutions at the instance of the Crown to be accounted for,	100	0	0						
Amount carried to the credit of the Revenue as the proceeds of Sales of Town Lots in Fredericton,	697	17	6						
Expenditures on the Royal Road,	224	19	0						
				3,542	15	0	18,575	1	9
Balance in favor of the Revenue,							£7,306	5	3½

No credit appears for any monies received from the Land Company.

There are no details with No. 1, to shew the price at which the Timber and Lumber was sold and to whom; neither are there any particulars exhibiting whence the contingencies collected at the Crown Land and Secretary's Offices arose.

The amount credited as the gross proceeds of Lands sold and leased is £1,073 12 8¼, less than is shewn by No. 2, but it may arise from its not being all paid for within the year. It will be observed that the annual charges upon the Casual Revenue for the payment of the Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Commissioner of Crown Lands, Receiver General, Auditor, Judges, Attorney General, &c. with the contingencies attached, are between Sixteen and £17,000.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. PARTELOW,
HUGH JOHNSTON,
I. WOODWARD,
J. M. WILMOT.

Committee Room, 3d March, 1835.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

The Province of New Brunswick in Account Current with Richard Simonds, Province Treasurer.

Dr.

To amount of 872 Warrants, paid between 1st January and 31st December 1834, as per Abstract,	7	42,809	19	8
" 128 Cases of Drawbacks paid between ditto and ditto, per Account,	8	4,192	15	11
" Sums refunded, as per Account,	9	1	17	11
" Commission paid for collecting Duties on Goods, seized and sold by Officers of H. M. Customs, per Account,	10		12	4
" Balance of Cash Account with the Saint John Savings' Bank, for the year 1834, as per Account,	11	25	0	0
" Loss on British Silver received at the Treasury, in 1834, per Account,	12	37	4	11
" Treasury Debentures paid with Interest, in 1834,	C.	2,725	0	0
" Part of Warrant No. 308, in favour of sundry persons for Merchantable Fish Bounties, not included in Abstract of Warrants paid in 1833 and 1834.		705	10	4
" Balance in Cash, Bonds, &c. as per Statement annexed,		16,197	4	6½
	£	66,695	5	7½

Cr.

1834. December 31st. By balance of General Account Current, dated 31st December 1833,					17,423	4	3
" Amount of Ordinary Duties, collected or secured at Saint John, on Merchandize not Warehoused, between 1st January and 31st December 1834, per Account,	1	20,205	7	5½			
" " Advalorem Duties collected at ditto, between ditto and ditto, on Merchandize not Warehoused, per Account,	2	5,803	14	11½			
" " Ordinary and Advalorem Duties collected at ditto, between ditto and ditto, on Warehoused Merchandize as per Account,	3	202	4	5			
" " Auction Duties collected at ditto, between ditto and ditto, as per Account,	4	1,062	19	9			
" " Received from the Collector of His Majesty's Customs, between ditto and ditto, as per Account,	5	7,752	4	3			
" For Pedlar's Licences, between ditto and ditto, per Account,	6	65	0	0			
					35,091	10	10
" From the Attorney General, between ditto and ditto,					1,915	0	0
" From the Board of Health, for a Fine, deducting costs,					4	9	9
" James Taylor, Esq. for Cash formerly received by Geo. West, Esq. and not expended,					40	0	0
" " Remittances from Deputy Treasurers for the undermentioned Districts, viz :—							
Miramichi,		5,714	14	2			
Saint Andrews,		3,005	8	6			
West Isles,		1,260	0	8			
Dalhousie,		1,123	9	0			
Richibucto,		540	2	2½			
Bathurst,		235	0	0			
Woodstock,		234	10	5½			
Fredericton,		43	16	11			
Shediac,		27	10	2			
Bay Verte,		36	8	8½	12,221	0	9½
				£	66,695	5	7½

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Saint John, N. B. 31st December, 1834.

RICHARD SIMONDS,
PROVINCE TREASURER.

STATEMENT,

Shewing the several balances in the hands of Richard Simonds, Province Treasurer, on the 31st December 1834.

Dr.

1834.					
December 31st.	Balances due on Bonds remaining in the Province Treasurer's Office, per Account,	17	15,604	5	6½
	Paid Province Treasurer's Salary to 31st December 1834,		600	0	0
	" Treasury Clerk's Salary to 31st December 1834,		150	0	0
	" Office Rent and Contingencies, per Account,		111	18	8½
	Cash in hand, - - -		2,920	7	10
		£	19,386	12	1

Cr.

1834.								
December 31st.	By balance of General Account Current of this date,	—		—		16,197	4	6½
	" " of Account Current, with Bay of Fundy Light Houses,	13	218	11	9½			
	" " of Account Current, with sick and disabled Seamens' Fund,	14	861	15	3			
	" " for protection of the Revenue,	15	35	4	7			
	" " with Passenger and Emigrant Fund,	B.	2,073	15	11	3,189	7	6½
					£	19,386	12	1

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Saint John, N. B. 31st December, 1834.

RICHARD SIMONDS,
PROVINCE TREASURER.

ABSTRACT

Of the Revenue of the Province of New Brunswick, from 1st January to 31st December 1834.

Place of Entry.	Ordinary Duties.			Advalorem Duties on British and Foreign Goods.						Parliamentary Duties.			Auction Duties.			Duties on Cattle & Meats.			Pedlers Licences.			Total Revenue.		
Saint John, - -	20,377	18	10½	4,927	3	8	905	13	9½	7,752	4	3	1,062	19	9½	0	0	0	65	0	0	35,091	0	4½
Miramichi, - -	4,721	2	6	1,253	17	11¼	136	7	3½	881	12	1½	31	5	5½	0	0	0	9	0	0	7,033	5	3¾
Saint Andrews, -	2,529	13	4	468	10	10	144	4	4	487	5	2	58	19	3	201	1	2	22	10	0	3,912	4	1½
West Isles, - -	2,140	18	3	0	14	4½	3	18	9½	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2,152	11	5
Dalhousie, - - -	1,215	10	11½	218	8	11¼	0	0	0	138	1	5¾	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	0	1,574	11	4¼
Richibucto, - -	567	17	5	155	9	1	7	7	7	68	18	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	819	12	5
Bathurst, - -	648	16	1	45	0	6	0	0	0	4	19	10½	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	698	16	5½
Saint Stephen, -	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	312	0	0	10	10	0	363	18	7
Woodstock, -	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	15	0¾	27	11	3½	0	0	0	135	0	0	2	10	0	182	16	4½
Fredericton, - -	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	17	7¾	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	10	0	44	7	7¾
Shediac, - -	24	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	10	0	30	11	3
Sackville, - -	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	10	0	20	10	0
Bay Verte, - -	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	5	0
Total—£	32,234	3	7¾	7,069	5	4	1,260	13	1	9,360	12	6¼	1,153	4	6	655	1	2	199	10	0	51,932	10	3¾

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Saint John, N. B. 31st December, 1834.

RICHARD SIMONDS,
PROVINCE TREASURER.

ABSTRACT

Shewing the Population of the Province in the Years 1824 and 1834, and the Increase.

County.	Total of Persons in the Year 1824.	County.		Total of Persons in the Year 1834.	Increase.
York, - - -	10,972	York, - -	10,478		
		Carleton, - -	9,493	19,971	8,999
Saint John, - - -	12,907	Saint John, - - -		20,668	7,761
King's, - - -	7,930	King's, - - -		12,195	4,265
Queen's, - - -	4,741	Queen's, - - -		7,204	2,463
Sunbury, - - -	3,227	Sunbury, - - -		3,838	611
Westmorland, - -	9,303	Westmorland, - -		14,205	4,902
Northumberland, - -	15,829	Northumberland, -	11,170		
		Kent, - -	6,031		
		Gloucester, -	8,323	25,524	9,695
Charlotte, - - -	9,267	Charlotte, - - -		15,852	6,585
Grand Total,	74,176	Grand Total,		119,457	45,281

JAMES HOLBROOK.

POPULATION

Of the Province of New Brunswick in the Year 1834.

County, and City, Parish or District.	Inhabited Houses.	By how many Families occupied.	Houses now Building.	Other Houses uninhabited.	Whites. Males. Above 16.	Whites. Males. Under 16.	Whites. Females. Above 16.	Whites. Females. Under 16.	People of Colour. Males. Above 16.	People of Colour. Males. Under 16.	People of Colour. Females. Above 16.	People of Colour. Females. Under 16.	Total of Persons.	Inhabited Houses.	By how many Families occupied.	Houses now Building.	Other Houses uninhabited.	Whites. Males. Above 16.	Whites. Males. Under 16.	Whites. Females. Above 16.	Whites. Females. Under 16.	People of Colour. Males. Above 16.	People of Colour. Males. Under 16.	People of Colour. Females. Above 16.	People of Colour. Females. Under 16.	Total of Persons.
YORK.																										
Parish of Fredericton,	393	485	9	7	748	652	775	626	27	50	44	48	2970													
" St. Mary,	225	241	9	8	412	375	329	357	11	4	8	11	1507													
" Douglas,	306	358	18	6	542	503	446	530	28	26	34	18	2127													
" Kingsclear,	176	192	11	13	311	271	260	293	15	19	18	17	1204													
" Queensbury,	144	161	5	9	273	252	205	219	15	7	16	20	1007													
" Prince William,	110	115	8	7	184	166	142	145	14	10	11	15	687													
" Southampton,	67	68	1	0	107	110	86	103	0	0	0	0	406													
" Dumfries,	81	83	4	4	160	145	122	143	0	0	0	0	570	1502	1698	65	54	2737	2474	2365	2416	110	116	131	129	10,478
CARLETON.																										
Parish of Northampton,	64	75	2	3	183	127	105	113	0	0	0	1	479													
" Woodstock,	303	327	22	32	566	474	436	465	3	2	0	1	1947													
" Kent,	68	75	5	2	109	119	84	232	4	6	5	5	564													
" Brighton,	142	157	8	2	258	268	215	265	0	1	0	0	1007													
" Perth,	35	39	3	4	76	72	48	48	0	0	0	0	244													
" Wicklow,	96	106	7	8	160	159	119	153	0	0	0	0	591													
" Wakefield,	291	294	9	21	475	516	395	460	7	5	4	0	1862													
" Andover,	73	76	5	3	124	152	100	145	1	0	1	0	523													
" Madawaska,	347	393	24	53	533	630	491	618	4	0	0	0	2276	1419	1542	85	128	2434	2517	1993	2499	19	14	10	7	9,493
SAINT JOHN.																										
City of Saint John, 1st District.	555	1189	14	100	1954	1397	2062	1329	13	16	41	15	6827													
" " 2nd "	531	1003	11	23	1311	1061	1526	1115	61	44	86	42	5246													
Parish of Portland, 1st "	259	557	8	2	900	734	897	661	5	5	5	8	3215													
" " 2nd "	320	331	14	29	488	417	370	389	48	42	64	44	1862													
District of Carleton,	112	146	2	0	235	176	213	168	5	6	5	4	812													
Parish of Lancaster,	164	183	13	25	311	381	268	285	14	21	18	17	1315													
" Saint Martins.	197	221	19	5	370	374	307	340	0	0	0	0	1391	2183	3630	81	184	5569	4540	5643	4287	146	134	219	130	20,663
KING'S.																										
Parish of Kingston,	292	303	8	9	455	511	490	456	3	4	7	3	1929													
" Sussex,	464	475	22	0	838	795	727	746	12	9	10	6	3143													
" Hampton, 1st District	180	194	3	6	314	274	270	263	5	5	1	0	1132													
" " 2nd "	226	235	15	26	349	383	308	375	1	1	3	1	1421													
" Norton,	123	126	4	8	232	171	196	156	10	5	10	6	786													
" Westfield,	183	194	7	6	291	339	261	365	6	5	6	2	1275													
" Springfield,	239	249	11	16	382	383	365	376	8	10	13	9	1551													
" Greenwich,	142	150	6	8	253	242	236	217	2	2	2	4	958	1849	1926	76	79	3114	3103	2853	2954	47	41	52	31	12,195
QUEEN'S.																										
Parish of Gagetown,	148	165	10	28	256	257	249	221	4	3	5	9	1004													
" Canning,	152	164	6	11	276	245	286	293	0	0	2	0	1052													
" Wickham,	247	265	19	18	427	435	360	402	0	0	0	0	1624													
" Waterborough,	182	234	4	22	332	331	298	317	7	11	19	19	1334													
" Brunswick,	118	134	3	2	248	223	171	230	0	0	0	0	872													
" Hampstead,	209	213	5	25	330	327	300	317	0	4	3	0	1313	1050	1175	47	100	1870	1818	1614	1500	18	18	20	24	7,204

SUNBURY.																										
Parish of Maugerville,	72	89	0	3	134	134	128	116	1	0	0	1	514													
" Sheffield,	120	146	6	3	249	229	217	249	5	3	3	2	957													
" Burton, 1st District,	160	182	7	19	322	294	269	277	1	0	1	1	1165													
" Lincoln, 1st "	72	83	1	3	198	124	123	119	1	0	2	0	567													
" Burton, 2nd "	47	54	4	3	100	101	71	86	0	0	0	0	358													
" Lincoln, 2nd "	34	41	0	3	94	71	57	55	0	0	0	0	277	505	595	18	34	1097	953	865	902	8	3	6	4	3,838
WESTMORLAND.																										
Parish of Dorchester,	433	512	8	9	753	823	715	821	3	2	3	4	3124													
" Sackville,	275	315	11	9	516	515	459	468	5	2	3	2	1970													
" Westmorland,	160	167	2	2	291	313	260	270	6	9	8	8	1165													
" Hillsborough,	117	142	34	2	227	264	221	248	0	0	0	0	960													
" Moncton,	80	87	3	3	150	157	117	154	0	0	0	0	578													
" Hopewell,	290	316	15	6	495	555	444	513	0	0	0	0	2007													
" Salisbury,	176	182	8	3	317	270	254	275	3	0	1	0	1120													
" Shediac,	193	217	15	6	337	341	296	343	0	0	1	0	1318													
" Coverdale,	80	85	4	6	155	157	146	155	2	0	0	2	617													
" Botsford,	208	249	19	7	356	298	316	370	0	1	1	4	1346	2017	2267	119	53	3597	3693	3228	3617	19	14	17	20	14,205
NORTHUMBERLAND.																										
Parish of Newcastle,	304	333	9	11	628	475	532	550	0	0	0	0	2185													
" Chatham,	304	400	14	21	738	512	582	520	2	0	1	0	2355													
" Ludlow,	63	72	7	4	204	94	98	104	0	0	1	0	501													
" Northesk,	170	183	1	3	426	297	258	306	0	0	0	0	1287													
" Alnwick,	111	122	6	0	229	165	180	198	0	0	0	0	772													
" Blissfield,	63	68	0	2	131	125	88	120	0	0	0	0	464													
" Blackville,	131	135	2	2	272	213	185	195	0	0	0	0	865													
" Glenelg,	215	239	31	16	416	347	299	348	12	0	0	6	1422													
" Nelson,	199	225	4	18	370	352	267	330	0	0	0	0	1319	1560	1777	74	72	3414	2580	2489	2671	14	0	2	0	11,170
KENT.																										
Parish of Richibucto,	394	432	16	27	734	717	702	616	4	1	1	0	2775													
" Carleton,	157	175	6	2	314	294	220	211	0	0	0	0	1039													
" Wellington,	167	186	5	18	304	307	265	295	0	0	0	0	1171													
" Dundas,	166	178	12	9	259	268	239	278	0	0	1	1	1046	884	971	39	56	1611	1586	1426	1400	4	1	2	1	6,031
" Huskisson,																										
" Harcourt,																										
GLOUCESTER.																										
Parish of Addington,	206	224	13	10	888	285	274	277	1	2	2	0	1729													
" Saumarez,	173	201	7	5	310	232	257	298	0	0	0	0	1097													
" Caraquet,	250	273	12	2	421	453	372	453	0	0	0	0	1699													
" New Bandon,	104	117	13	5	163	190	154	173	0	0	0	0	680													
" Beresford,	225	247	28	23	391	426	316	359	0	0	0	0	1492													
" Bathurst,	197	254	25	4	563	379	347	335	2	0	0	0	1626	1155	1316	98	49	2736	1965	1720	1895	3	2	2	0	8,323
CHARLOTTE.																										
Parish of St. Andrews, 1st Dis't.	235	350	4	17	478	445	551	470	3	2	5	1	1955													
" " 2nd "	239	258	5	5	366	419	308	397	5	12	11	14	1532													
" St. Stephen,	370	425	17	3	825	609	680	558	1	2	4	0	2677													
" St. David,	214	232	8	8	456	399	343	376	1	0	0	0	1575													
" St. George,	325	317	24	18	733	530	509	545	1	0	2	1	2321													
" St. Patrick,	419	251	31	6	375	410	339	383	0	0	0	0	1507													
" St. James,	148	154	21	5	284	212	222	209	0	0	0	0	927													
" Pennfield,	111	124	6	4	187	197	167	191	0	0	0	0	742													
" Grand Manan,	141	155	4	4	281	268	203	204	0	0	0	0	956													
" West Isles,	147	177	10	5	280	291	279	257	1	0	2	0	1110													
" Campo Bello,	–	–	–	–	–	Estimated,			–	–	–	–	550	~~2340~~	~~2443~~	~~180~~	75	~~4263~~	~~3780~~	~~3601~~	~~3500~~	12	16	24	16	15,852
									Grand Total,			–	–	16,434	18,340	832	890	32,447	29,009	27,797	28,031	398	359	494	372	119,457

JAMES HOLBROOK.

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TO THE

JOURNAL

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

OF THE

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2. Saint Andrews Church, St. John. " to perfect the Title of the Trustees of Saint Andrews Church Saint John, to certain Lands and tenements. Petition for, 290. Leave granted, 290. First reading, 290. Second reading, 291. Agreed to and engrossed, 297. Third reading and sent up, 307.

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4. Firewards, Mill Town. " for the appointment of Firewards and the better

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5. Public Landing, Saint Stephen. Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a part of the Public Landing at Salt Water, in the Parish of Saint Stephens. Leave granted, 291. First reading, 291. Second reading, 299. Agreed and engrossed, 305. Third reading and sent up, 326. Amended by Council, 365. Agreed to and returned, 367. Passed, 479.

6. Gloucester, Common Pleas. "to alter and amend the time of holding the November Term of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Gloucester. Leave granted, 292. First reading, 298. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 316. Third reading and sent up, 318. Concurred in by Council, 332. Passed, 478.

7. Disorderly Houses. "to revive an Act, intituled "An Act for the more speedy and effectual punishment of persons keeping disorderly Houses." Leave granted, 292. First reading, 292. Second reading, 299. Agreed to and engrossed, 304. Third reading and sent up, 306. Concurred in by Council, 326. Passed, 478.

8. King's County, Assessment for Gaol. "to authorize the Justices of the Peace for King's County to assess the Inhabitants thereof, for erecting and building a Gaol in said County. Petition for, 291, 331. Petition against, 333. Leave granted, 294. First reading, 294. Second reading, 298. Postponed until next Session of the General Assembly, 376.

9. Fires, St. John, See No. 19. "to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for the better extinguishing Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Laws now in force relating to the same," also 'An Act to amend the Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John.'" Leave granted, 296. First reading, 296. Second reading, 299. Agreed to and engrossed, 304. Third reading and sent up, 307. Amended by Council, 326. Agreed to and returned, 327. Passed, 478.

10. Supreme Court, Summary Practice. "in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the 4th year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act to establish and regulate a Summary practice in the Supreme Court." Leave granted, 297. First reading, 297. Second reading, 299. Agreed to and

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11. Church Wardens and Vestrymen, Qualification. — Bill to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to amend an Act, intituled 'An Act to repeal an Act passed in the 50th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled 'An Act to declare the Qualification of Church Wardens and Vestrymen in the several Parishes in this Province and of the persons having voices in their Election, and to make other and more effectual enactments in lieu thereof, so far as relates to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews.'" Leave granted, 297. First reading, 297. Second reading, 298. Agreed to and engrossed, 305. Third reading and sent up, 306. Concurred in by Council, 326. Passed, 478.

12. Passamaquoddy Bay. See Bills, No. 96. — "for the better securing the navigation of the Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy. Leave granted, 297. First reading, 299. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 353. Third reading and sent up, 357. Amended by Council, 394. Not agreed to, 404.

13. Bail. — "to make perpetual the Acts of the General Assembly relating to surrender of the principal in discharge of Bail. Leave granted, 298. First reading, 298. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 313. Third reading and sent up, 319. Concurred in by Council, 407. Passed, 479.

14. Queen's County, division of Parishes of Brunswick and Canning. — "for erecting parts of the Towns or Parishes of Brunswick and Canning in Queen's County, into a separate Town or Parish. Leave granted, 299. First reading, 299. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 330. Recommitted and agreed to and engrossed, 338. Third reading and sent up, 346. Concurred in by Council, 393. Passed, 479.

15. Meduxnakik River, Booms. — "to provide for the regulation of a Boom or Booms for securing Masts, Logs and Lumber in the Meduxnakik River in the County of Carleton. Leave granted, 299. First reading, 305. Second reading, 307.

16. Circuit Courts. — "to continue the Act to provide for the expences of the Judges holding Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province and of the Clerk in those Courts. Leave granted, 299. First reading, 299. Second reading, 303. Progress reported, 330. Postponed for 3 Months, 359.

17. Supreme Court, Indictments and Informations in. — "to continue an Act to regulate the Law with regard to the course of proceedings on Indictments and Informations in the Supreme Court. Leave granted, 300. First reading, 300.

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18. Assessments. Bill to continue the Acts relating to Assessments in this Province. Leave granted, 300. First reading, 300. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 314. Recommitted and progress reported, 323. Agreed to and engrossed, 324. Third reading and sent up, 329.

19. Fires, Saint John, See Bills, No. 9. "to revive an Act, intituled "An Act in addition to and in amendment of an Act, intituled 'An Act to revive and make perpetual an Act authorizing the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, to make regulations for the more effectual prevention of Fires within the said City.'" Leave granted, 300. First reading, 300. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 314. Third read and sent up, 319. Concurred in by Council, 337. Passed, 478.

20. Trespasses, Saint John. "to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the trespasses therein mentioned in the City of Saint John. Leave granted, 301. First reading, 301. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 313. Third reading and sent up, 319. Concurred in by Council, 337. Passed, 478.

21. Seamen. "to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force for the regulation of Seamen, and to make more effectual provision for that purpose." See Petition, 370. Leave granted, 302. First reading 302. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 313. Third reading and sent up, 319. Concurred in by Council, 337. Passed, 479.

22. Westmorland Parishes. "to alter the Boundary Lines between certain Parishes in the County of Westmorland. Leave granted, 302. First reading, 302. Second reading, 303. Agreed to and engrossed, 312. Third reading and send up, 318. Concurred in by Council, 344. Passed, 479.

23. Lotteries. "for the prohibiting and suppression of Lotteries in this Province. Leave granted, 302. First reading, 302. Second reading, 307. Agreed to and engrossed, 314. Third reading and sent up, 319. Concurred in by Council, 338. Passed, 479.

24. Militia. See Bills, No. 41. "to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia. Negatived, 302.

25. Nashwaak River Boom. "to provide for the establishment and maintaining of a Boom or Booms for securing Timber and Logs on the Nashwaak River in the County of

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26. Statute Law. Offences against the Person. "to amend an Act passed in the 9th and 10th years of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the Statute Law relative to offences against the person, and to provide for the more effectual punishment of such offences." Leave granted, 304. First reading, 304. Second reading, 307. Agreed to and engrossed, 316. Third reading and sent up, 318.

27. Markets and Ferries. "in addition to an Act made and passed in the 28th year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, authorizing the Justices of the General Sessions in the several Counties in this Province, to make rules and regulations respecting Markets and Ferries. Leave granted, 304. First reading, 304. Second reading, 307. Progress reported, 316. Agreed to and engrossed, 326. Third reading and sent up, 334.

28. Gloucester. New Parish. "to erect a new Parish in the County of Gloucester. Leave granted, 304. First reading, 304. Second reading, 307. Agreed to and engrossed, 317. Third reading and sent up, 326.

29. Fire Wards, Fredericton. "to revive an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, and an Act, intituled 'An Act to extend the power of the Firewards in the Parish of Fredericton, and to make further regulations for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen in said Parish.'" Leave granted, 305. First reading, 305. Second reading, 307. Agreed to and engrossed, 315. Third reading and sent up, 326. Amended by Council, 344. Agreed to and returned, 348. Passed, 479.

30. Common Law Courts. "to regulate Pleadings in the Common Law Courts of this Province. Leave granted, 335.

31. Grand and Petit Jurors. "to provide for the payment of the Grand and Petit Jurors. Petition for, 306. Leave granted, 306. First reading, 306. Second reading, 313. Postponed for three months, 321.

32. Seamen's Wages. "for facilitating the recovery of the Wages of Seamen in the Merchant Service and Coasting Trade of this Province. Leave granted, 306. First reading, 306. Second reading,

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313. Progress reported, 324. Agreed to and engrossed, 356. Third reading and sent up 389.

33. Legislature, Expenses of. " to provide for the expenses of the Legislature. Leave granted, 307. First reading, 320. Second reading, 323. Progress reported, 339. Divisions thereon, 342, 343, 344. Agreed to and engrossed, 344. Third reading and sent up, 349. Committee to search Council Journals, 422. Reported, 429. Resolution of Council thereon, 429.

34. Grand Jurors to inspect County Accounts. " to authorize the Grand Jurors of the several Counties within this Province to inspect the Public Accounts, and enquire into the nature of the Public Charges against the said Counties Petition for, 291, 292. Leave granted, 307. First reading, 307. Second reading, 313. Progress reported, 324. Agreed to and engrossed, 327. Third reading and sent up, 329. Amended by Council, 394. Agreed to and returned, 403. Passed, 479.

35. Fire Wards, Newcastle and Chatham. " to continue an Act, intituled " An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, intituled ' An Act to repeal the Laws now in force for appointing Fire Wards and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relate to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of New Castle and Chatham and their Vicinities in the County of Northumberland.' " Leave granted, 308. First reading, 308. Second reading, 313. Agreed to and Engrossed, 317. Third reading and sent up, 318. Amended by Council, 337. Agreed to and returned, 338. Passed, 479.

36. Fees in the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, and Mayor's Court, Saint John. " to regulate the fees in Actions on the Record side of the Inferior Courts Common Pleas in the several Counties, and also in the Mayor's Court, City of Saint John, and to prevent the removal of Causes therefrom to the Supreme Court, after issue joined or interlocutory Judgment signed. Leave granted, 315. First reading, 315. Second reading, 319. Progress reported, 323. Agreed to and engrossed, 331. Third reading and sent up, 345. Amended by Council, 394. Agreed to and returned, 403. Passed, 479.

37. Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen. " to continue an Act, intituled " An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace in their several Counties in their General Sessions to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen, and to establish the rates and fares to be taken for the Cartage and Truckage of goods, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt. Leave granted, 316. First reading, 318. Second reading, 325. Agreed to and

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38. Richibucto Parish, division of — Bill to erect the Southwestern part of the Parish of Richibucto into a separate and distinct Parish. Leave granted, 317. First reading, 320. Second reading, 323. Agreed to and engrossed, 330. Concurred in by Council, 365. Passed, 479.

39. Log and Timber driving, County of Kent. — "to regulate the driving of Timber and Logs down the several Rivers in the County of Kent, and to define a space to be left in each Mill Dam to pass Timber and Logs through. Petition for, 301. Leave granted, 318. First reading, 318. Second reading, 325. Agreed to and engrossed, 353. Third reading and sent up, 356.

40. Petit Jurors Fees. — "to increase the Fees of Petit Jurors. Negatived, 321.

41. Militia. See Bills, No. 24. — "to amend the Laws for the organization and regulation of the Militia. Leave granted, 322. First reading, 325. Second reading, 328. Division on, 336. Agreed to and engrossed, 337. Third reading and sent up, 346.

42. Custom House Establishment. — "to provide for the Custom House Establishment in New Brunswick. Reported by Committee, 325. Report accepted and First reading, 325. Second reading, 328. Progress reported, 332. Order of the Day, 332. Agreed to and engrossed, 345. Third reading and sent up, 352. Concurred in by Council, 372. Passed, 480.

43. Bank of New Brunswick. — "for the further increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of New Brunswick, and to amend and continue the Act for incorporating the said Bank. Petition for, 324. Petition against, 372. Leave Granted, 325. First reading, 325. Second reading, 328. Order of the Day, 386. Postponment until next Session of the Assembly negatived, 404. Progress reported, 404. Agreed to and engrossed with amendment of title, 428. Third reading, Ryder added and sent up, 439. Amended by Council, 461. Amendments not agreed to, 463.

44. Acadian French, Poor Rates. — "to authorize the Justices of the Peace in General Sessions in this Province, to exempt the Acadian French from the Assessment of Poor Rates. Leave granted, 328. First reading, 328. Second reading, 331. Agreed to and engrossed, 347. Third reading and sent up, 352.

45. City and County of Saint John Assessment. — "to authorize Assessment upon the City and County of Saint John, to pay a proportion of the contingent expenses of the City and County, and the balance of the County debt. Peti-

tion for, 328. Leave granted, 328. First reading, 328. Second reading, 331. Postponed for three months, 457.

46. Great Roads. Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act passed in the third year of the reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal all the Laws now in force, relating to the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads throughout the Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same. Leave granted, 330. First reading, 330. Second reading, 331. Progress reported, 355, 364, 379. Order of the Day, 355, 373, 379. Order enlarged, 401. Agreed to and engrossed, 404. Third reading and sent up, 429. Amended by Council, 461. Amendment not agreed to, 461.

47. Small Debts in the City of Saint John. "for the more easy and speedy recovery of small Debts and demands in the City of Saint John. Petition for, 331. Leave granted, 331. First reading, 331. Second reading, 331. Agreed to and engrossed, 406. Third reading and sent up, 420.

48. Booms. "for the establishing and maintaining of Booms for securing Masts, Logs, and Lumber, in the several Rivers within this Province. Leave granted, 331. First reading, 334. Second reading, 338. Agreed to and engrossed, 376. Third reading and sent up, 388.

49. Executive Council. "to remove doubts which may arise from the formation of two distinct Councils in this Province, relating to Acts required to be done by His Majesty's Council. Sent down by Council, 332. First reading, 332. Second reading, 333. Agreed to, 339. Third reading, passed and returned, 345. Passed, 479.

50. Acts of Assembly. "to declare all Acts of Assembly to be Public Acts. Sent down by Council, 332. First reading, 332. Second reading, 333. Agreed to, 339. Third reading, passed and returned, 344. Passed, 479.

51. Saint John Bridge Company. "to incorporate sundry persons by the name of the Saint John Bridge Company. Petition for, 333. Leave granted, 333. First reading, 333. Second reading, 333. Agreed to and engrossed, 347. Recommitted, amended, agreed to and engrossed, 387. Third reading and sent up, 388. Conference requested by Council, 453. Conference agreed to, 457. Committee appointed, 459. Report of Committee, 463. To lie on the Table, 464. See pages, 467, 468, Concurred in, 468. Further Conference requested by the House, 469, Committee appointed, 469. Concurred in by Council, 472. Passed, 480.

52. Bass Fishery, County of "in addition to and in continuation of the Act re-

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53. King's County, Division of Parish of Hampton. "to erect the Northeastern part of the Parish of Hampton, in King's County into a separate and distinct Parish. Leave granted, 335. First reading, 335. Second reading, 338. Agreed to and engrossed, 344. Third reading and sent up, 349. Amended by Council, 403. Agreed to and returned, 404. Passed, 480.

54. Log and Timber driving, River Magaguadavic. "to regulate the driving of Timber and Saw Logs down the River Magaguadavic and its Branches. Petition for, 335. Leave granted, 335. First reading, 335. Second reading, 338. Agreed to and engrossed, 349. Third reading and sent up, 352. Amended by Council, 394. Agreed to and returned, 404. Passed, 479.

55. Carleton General Sessions and Common Pleas. "for altering the time of holding one of the Terms of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Court of Common Pleas. Petition for, 328. Leave granted, ——. First reading, 335. Second reading, 338. Agreed to and engrossed, 347. Third reading and sent up, 349.

56. Restigouche Harbour. "to alter and amend an Act, intituled "An Act to repeal an Act, intituled 'An Act for the better security of the Navigation of certain Harbours in the County of Northumberland, and to make more effectual provision for the better security of the Harbours in the Counties of Northumberland, Kent and Gloucester,'" so far as the same relates to the Bay and Harbour of Restigouche, in the said County of Gloucester. Leave granted, 335. First reading, 335. Second reading, 338. Agreed to and engrossed, 353. Third reading and sent up, 365. Concurred in by Council, 407. Passed, 479.

57. Grand Manan, Lock-up-House. "to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the said County for the erection of a Lock-up-House on the Island of Grand Manan in said County. Leave granted, 335. First reading, 335. Second reading, 338. Agreed to and engrossed, 348. Third reading and sent up, 349. Concurred in by Council, 393. Passed, 479.

58. Post Office. "for the management and regulation of the Post Office in New Brunswick. Reported by Committee, 339. First reading, 339. Second reading, 346. Postponed until the next Session of the General Assembly, 361.

59. Gaol Limits, County of York. "to authorize the extension of the Gaol limits in the County of York. Petition for, 339.

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Leave granted, 339. First reading, 339. Second reading, 346. Agreed to and engrossed, 350. Third reading and sent up, 352.

60. Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, Division line. — "to alter the division line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury, in the County of York. Petition for, 340. Leave granted, 340. First reading, 341. Second reading, 346. Agreed to and engrossed, 351. Third reading and sent up, 352. Amended by Council, 394. Agreed to and returned, 403. Passed, 480.

61. Light Houses, Gulf of Saint Lawrence. — "to provide for the erection and maintaining of Light Houses within the Gulf of Saint Lawrence. Reported by Committee, 350. First reading, 350. Second reading, 351. Agreed to and engrossed, 387. Third reading and sent up, 402.

62. Ungranted Ferries. — "to regulate ungranted Ferries in this Province. Leave granted, 350. First reading, 350. Second reading, 351. Agreed to and engrossed, 376. Third reading and sent up, 389. Amended by Council, 416. Agreed to and returned, 417. Passed, 480.

63. Log and Timber driving in Counties of York and Carleton. — "to regulate the driving of Logs and Timber in the several Rivers and Streams in the Counties of York and Carleton. Leave granted, 353. First reading, 353. Second reading, 354. Postponed for three months, 358.

64. Charlotte County, Assessment for Court House. — "to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to assess the inhabitants for erecting a new Court House in the said County. Leave granted, 356. First reading, 356. Second reading, 356. Postponed to the next Session of the General Assembly, 362.

65. Charlotte County Herring Fishery. — "relating to Herring Fisheries in the County of Charlotte. See Petitions, 337, 337, 337. Leave granted, 356. First reading, 365. Second reading, 367. Third reading and sent up, 394.

66. King's College, and Grammar Schools. — "in addition to An Act, intituled "An Act for the endowment of King's College at Fredericton, and also to make new provisions for the establishment and support of Grammar Schools throughout the Province." Leave granted, 358. First reading, 358. Second reading, 360. Postponed for three months, 381.

67. Trespassers on Crown Lands. — "to prevent expence in proceedings against Trespassers on Crown Lands. Leave granted, 358. First reading, 379. Second reading, 379. Progress reported, 391. Agreed to and engrossed, 395. Third reading and sent up, 403.

68. Clerk of the Circuits. See Bills, No. 105. — "to provide for the services of the Clerk of the Circuits and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province. Leave granted, 359. First reading, 359. Second reading, 360. Agreed

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69. Highways and Roads. Statute Labour. — "to repeal all the Laws now in force for regulating laying, out and repairing the Highways and Roads and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways in the Several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same. Committee appointed, 297. Reported by Committee, 359. First reading, 359. Second reading, 360. Progress reported, 365, 368. Agreed to and engrossed, 377. Third reading, Ryder added and sent up, 402. Amended by Council, 445. Agreed to and returned, 448. One hundred and forty Copies of Act to be transmitted to Clerks of the Peace, 453. Passed, 478.

70. Penitentiary for the City and County of Saint John. — "for the establishment of a public Penitentiary for the City and County of Saint John. Petition for, 359. Leave granted, 359. First reading, 359. Second reading, 360. Postponed until the next Session of General Assembly, 413.

71. Gloucester Salmon Fisheries. — "to continue an Act, intituled "An Act for regulating the Salmon Fisheries in the County of Gloucester." Leave granted, 360. First reading, 373. Second reading, 376. Agreed to and engrossed, 391. Third reading and sent up, 394. Concurred in by Council, 438. Passed, 480.

72. Rail Road Company, Saint Stephen. — "for the incorporation of the Saint Stephen Rail Road Company. Petition for, 339. Leave granted, 360. First reading, 374. Second reading, 376. Agreed to and engrossed, 380. Third reading and send up, 414.

73. Grammar School, Saint John. — "to amend the Law relating to the public Grammar School in the City of Saint John." Petition for, 353. Sent down by Council, 363. First reading, 363. Second reading, 367. Agreed to, 375. Third reading and returned, 380. Passed, 479.

74. Charter Officers, Saint John. — "to regulate the Election of Charter Officers for the City of Saint John. Petition for, 370. Petitions against, 370, and 372. Leave granted, 370. First reading, 370. Second reading, 370. Postponed to the next Session of General Assembly, 426. Committee appointed to report thereon next Session General Assembly, 427.

75. Seamen, sick and disabled. — "to amend an Act, intituled "An Act to provide for sick and disabled Seamen, belonging to this Province." Leave granted, 370. First reading, 424. Second reading, 425. Agreed to and engrossed, 450. Third reading and sent up, 453.

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76. Seamens' Fund. Gloucester. — "to authorize the Deputy Treasurer in the County of Gloucester to pay over to the Commissioner of sick and disabled Seamen the Duties collected for the support of sick and disabled Seamen in the several Ports in that County. Leave granted, 371. First reading, 392. Second reading, 395. Title amended, agreed to and engrossed, 414. Third reading and sent up, 420.

77. Boards of Health. — "for the establishment and regulation of Boards of Health in the several counties in this Province. Petition for amendment in, 352, 370. Leave granted, 371. First reading, 378. Second reading, 379. Agreed to and engrossed, 457. Third reading and sent up, 461. Amended by Council, 467. Agreed to and returned, 468. Passed, 480.

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10. James Wallace, and 16 others, Grand Jurors, Westmorland. — praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Grand Jurors of the several Counties in the Province to examine and audit the County Accounts. Lie on the Table, 292. See Bills, No. 34.

11. Robert Scott, and others, Inhabitants of County of Westmorland. — praying that an Act may pass to erect the Western part of said County into a separate and distinct County. Lie on the Table, 292. See Bills, No. 78.

12. Daniel B. Roberts. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 292. Not complied with, 406.

13. John Thompson. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 292. Complied with, 406. Not concurred in by Council, 455.

14. Thomas Blacklock. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 294. Complied with, 406. Not concurred in by Council, 455.

15. Cadwallader, E. Sayre. — praying for compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 294. Complied with, 406.

16. George Allen. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 294. Complied with, 406.

17. Josiah Freeze. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 294. Complied with, 406. Not concurred in by Council, 455.

18. John Kinnear, and others, Members of St. Patrick's Society, Saint John. — praying a sum may be granted to enable them to extend more effectual relief to the numerous Irish Emigrants arriving at that Place. Referred to Committee of Supply, 295, Complied with, 406. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

19. Sanford Brown, and 25 others, Parish St. Martin's, County St. John. — praying remuneration to the teacher of a School at that District; and also that an Act may pass giving power to the Inhabitants of the said Parish to hold a Town Meeting annually, for the purpose of nominating competent persons as Parish Officers. Referred to Committee of Supply, 296. Complied with School Petition, 406. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

20. James Carter. — praying to be remunerated for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 299. Complied with, 406. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

21. Thomas Sime, and others, Commissioners of the Poor, St. Andrews. — praying to be reimbursed a sum expended by them during the past year, in support of sick and distressed Emigrants. Referred to Committee of Supply, 299.

22. Jane M'Crakan. — praying compensation for teaching School. Refer-

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73. Nehemiah Marks, and others, Inhabitants of County of Charlotte. — praying that an Act may pass to incorporate sundry persons by the name of "The Saint Stephen Rail Road Company." Lie on the Table, 339. See Bills, No. 72.

74. John Bedell, and others. — praying a grant may pass towards the erection of a new Bridge over the Maduxnikik River. Referred to Committee of Supply, 340. Negatived, 423.

75. James Rait, and others. — praying that measures be taken to procure a repeal of the Parliamentary Duties on Wheat Flour; and also, that that part of the Revenue Law which imposes a Duty on dead Meats may not be re-enacted. Lie on the Table, 340. Divisions on referring it to Committee of Trade, or a Select Committee, 341. Report of Committee, 348.

76. John Robinson, and others. — praying an Act may pass to alter the division line between the Parishes of Douglas and Queensbury in the County of York. Lie on the Table, 340. See Bills, No. 60.

77. Joseph Hebert, County of Carleton. — praying the Bounty on Grain raised in 1832, may be granted him. Referred to Committee of Supply, 340. Not complied with, 408.

78. John H. Ryan. — praying remuneration for expenses incurred in repairs on the Portage, at the Grand Falls, River St. John. Referred to Committee of Supply, 340. Not complied with, 414.

79. Charles Perley, and others. — praying that an increase of Duty may be imposed on the importation of Spirituous *Liquors*; and also that some measures may be adopted as will tend to the suppression of intemperance. Lie on the Table, 340, Select Committee appointed, and Petitions on intemperance to be referred to them, 340. Report, 363, 373.

80. Overseers of Poor, Chatham. — praying remuneration for expenses incurred in relief extended to Shipwrecked Emigrants. Referred to Committee of Supply, 341. Complied with, 408.

81. Alexander Gillespie. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 345. Complied with, 408. Not concurred in by Council, 456,

82. F. A. Kinnear, Esq. — praying on behalf of the Managing Committee of the Female House of Industry in the City of St. John, Legislative aid towards the support of that Institution. Referred to Committee of Supply, 346. Complied with, 408.

83. George E. Winnett. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 346. Complied with, 408. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

84. Jacob Carvel, Courier. — praying compensation for his services for the past year as Courier between Fredericton and Miramichi. Referred to Committee of Supply, 346. Complied with, 400.

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85. William Leavitt, Thomas Leavitt, and James Kirk. — praying for a return of Duties on articles shipped in the Ship Peruvian as Stores on a Whaling Voyage. Referred to Committee of Supply, 347. Complied with, 408.

86. Justices of Peace, York County. — praying an amendment in the Laws regulating Tavern Keepers and Retailers. Referred to Select Committee, 348. See Bills, No. 87.

87. Andrew Weldon, and others. — praying aid towards the erection of a Break Water at Quaco, County of Westmorland. Referred to Committee of Trade, 348. Report of Committee, 368.

88. William Wallace, and others. — The like prayer. Referred to Committee of Trade, 348. Report of Committee, 368.

89. Francis Rice, and others. — praying a grant may pass towards opening a Road from the Grand Falls to the Madawaska River, along the Eastern Bank of the River Saint John. Referred to the Committee of Roads, 349.

90. Crookshank and Walker, and Ratchford and Lugrin. — praying drawback on thirty three Hogsheads Sugar and one Puncheon of Rum, shipped for Quebec, and lost on the voyage. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 408.

91. Crookshank and Walker. — praying drawback on seventy three Puncheons Rum, exported to Halifax. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 408.

92. Crookshank and Walker, and E. Barlow and Sons. — praying drawback on two Casks Wine, shipped in July last, for New York, the vessel being wrecked on the voyage. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 409.

93. John V. Thurgar. — praying drawback on one Puncheon of Rum, exported to Nova Scotia. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 409.

94. Justices of Peace, City and County Saint John. — praying to be reimbursed Monies paid and advanced for the support of distressed Emigrants in the City of Saint John and Parish of Portland. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 409.

95. President, &c. Fire Insurance Company, Saint John. — praying a grant to pass for the additional Interest due them on a loan made the Province. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 409.

96. Justices of Peace, City and County Saint John. — praying a grant towards the payment of the expense incurred in the purchase of Buildings for a Cholera Hospital in the Parish of Portland. Referred to Committee of Supply, 351. Complied with, 409.

97. William Brenan. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 352. Complied with, 409. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

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98. Justices of Peace, City and County Saint John. — praying to be reimbursed amount expended for the support and relief of sick and infirm Black Refugees in the Parish of Portland. Referred to Committee of Supply, 352. Complied with, 409.

99. Amasa Coy, and others, — praying an amendment to the Act for establishing Boards of Health. Lie on the Table, 352. See Bills, No. 77.

100. Rev. Joseph M. Paquet, and others. — praying a division of certain Parishes in the County of Kent. Lie on the Table. 352.

101. William Curry, and Milatiah Calkin. — praying as Administrators to the Estate of Cadwallader Curry, deceased, an extension of time for the payment of a debt due to the Province from the said late Cadwallader Curry. Lie on the Table, 353. Referred to Select Committee, 366. Report of Committee, 397. See Resolution, 428. See page, 447.

102. President, &c. of Grammar School, City of Saint John. — praying an amendment of the Act 45, Geo. 3. Cap. 12, prescribing the days of holding the Public Examination of the said School. Lie on the Table, 353. See Bills, No. 73.

103. Edward N. Kendall, Agent for Land Company. — praying Legislative aid towards the completion of a New Road from Fredericton to the Miramichi River. Referred to Committee of Roads, 354.

104. Patrick Waters. — praying compensation for assistance afforded to indigent Travellers on the Great Road between Saint John and Saint Andrews. Referred to Committee of Supply, 354. Not complied with, 415

105. Rev. Michael M'Sweeny. — praying the usual allowance may be granted him for superintending the Spiritual concerns of the Milicete Tribe of Indians. Referred to Committee of Supply, 354. Complied with, 400.

106. Noah Disbrow, and others, County of Saint John. — praying that such an alteration may be made in the Act for the Election of Members to serve in General Assembly, as may confine the Voting of Members in the said County to the Freeholders thereof, and that the Freeholders of the City of Saint John may be precluded from voting for Members for the said County; and further, that the Representation of the said City and County be so altered by reducing that of the County to three Members, and adding one to the City Representation. Lie on the Table, 355.

107. E. D. W. Ratchford, Chamber of Commerce, City of St. John. — praying that no additional Duties may be imposed on Importations into the Province. Lie on the Table negatived, 355.

108. Flora M'Rae. — praying pecuniary aid. Referred to Committee of Supply, 356. Complied with, 401.

109. Ebenezer Packard. — praying allowance for teaching a School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 415. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

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110. Michael M'Nally.	praying remuneration for past services as a Parish School Master. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Negatived, 423.
111. Hannah Packard.	praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 416. Not concurred in by Council, 456.
112. Rev. F. W. Miles, and others, St. John.	praying pecuniary aid towards the erection of a Baptist Seminary at Fredericton. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 421. Not concurred in by Council, 456.
113. Baptist Education Committee, and others, County York.	The like prayer. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 421. Not concurred in by Council, 456.
114. Baptist Education Committee, and others, County Charlotte.	The like prayer. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 421. Not concurred in by Council, 456.
115. Baptist Education Committee, and others, Queen's County.	The like prayer. Referred to Commitree of Supply, 357. Complied with, 421. Not concurred in by Council, 456.
116. Baptist Education Committee, and others, County Sunbury.	The like prayer. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 421. Not concurred in by Council, 456.
117. Geo. D. Robinson, Edward J. Budd, and N. Smith DeMill.	praying return of Duty on Ten Hogsheads Molasses, sent as stores on board the Thomas Millidge on a Whaling voyage. Referred to Committee of Supply, 357. Complied with, 409.
118. Governors, and others of Madras School.	praying an additional grant may be made in aid of the funds of that Corporation. Referred to Committee of Supply, 358. Not Complied with, 416.
119. John Bedell, Junr., and others.	praying a grant may pass towards improving the Navigation of the River Saint John, between Fredericton and Woodstock, 359. Complied with, 442.
120. Justices of Peace, City and County Saint John.	praying for the establishment of a Public Penitentiary for the City and County of Saint John, and aid towards the erection of the same. Referred to Committee of Supply, 359. See Bills, No. 70.
121. James Rait, John M'Master, and others.	praying that the collection of the Provincial Duties may devolve on the Custom House Department in this Province. Lie on the Table, 360.
122. James and William Delap.	praying return of excess of Duty paid at the Treasury under the Emigrant Act, on Passengers which arrived at that place in January last. Referred to Committee of Supply, 360. Complied with, 416.
123. Samuel M'Farlan, County Charlotte.	praying that the Bounty on Grain raised in 1832, may be granted him. Referred to Committee of Supply, 360.

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124. Thomas Majoribanks, and others. — praying for Legislative protection by imposing a small Duty on Foreign Bread imported into this Province. Referred to Committee of Trade, 360. Reported, 368.

125. Jeremiah Cristy, and others. — praying a grant may pass towards erecting a Bridge across the Madam Keswick River, County of York. Referred to Committee of Supply negatived, 361.

126. John M'Aleer. — praying aid to erect a Mill at the Nerepis Bridge. Negatived, 363.

127. Lieutenant Col. Fane, 34th Regiment. — praying drawback on Wine imported for the use of the Mess. Referred to Committee of Supply, 363. Complied with, 423.

128. Charles Drury, and others. — praying that the New Line of Road recently explored from St. John to Sussex Vale, by way of Loch Lomond, may be established as a Great Road of Communication. Lie on the Table, 363.

129. Robert W. Crookshank, and others, Commissioners for Light Houses. — praying that measures may be adopted to obtain a correct Survey of the Bay of Fundy. Lie on the Table, 363. See Address, 379, 394.

130. James Smith, Senr., and others. — praying an exploration of a New Line of Post Road from the City of Saint John to Sussex Vale, as shewn by plan. Lie on the Table, 363.

131. Henry Lyons, and others. — praying a grant may pass to aid in the erection of a Grist Mill for accommodation of the Settlers at the Nerepis. Negatived, 364,

132. James T. Hanford. — praying a grant for drawback on Rum exported to Nova Scotia. Referred to Committee of Supply, 365. Complied with, 416.

133. William Mullin, and others. — praying a repeal of the Act to regulate Vessels arriving from the United Kingdom with Passengers and Emigrants. Lie on the Table, 365.

134. Charles Perley, and others. — praying aid towards the building a Steam Boat to ply between Fredericton and Woodstock. Lie on the Table, 365. Referred to Committee of Supply, 401. Complied with, 423.

135. William Cross. — praying to be remunerated for Extra Work done on King's College at the time of building the same. Negatived, 365.

136. Charity Williams. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 365. Complied with, 416.

137. John N. C. Nicholson, and others. — praying aid to assist in the building a Bridge over the Pekagomik River in the County Carleton. Negatived, 366.

138. John Baird. — praying additional compensation for teaching Madras Free School at Fredericton. Referred to Committee of Supply, 336.

139. Alexander Grant. — praying to be reimbursed for losses sustained in consequence of having goods damaged by the ap-

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plication of Chloride of Lime, under the direction of the Health Officer at the Quarantine Station. Negatived, 366.

140. Ebenezer Smith, and William Simpson, Executors of Hugh McDiarmid. — praying compensation for teaching School in the Parish of Hampton, King's County. Referred to Committee of Supply, 367. Complied with, 416.

141. George Bragg. — praying a grant for Grain Bounty due one Robert Roy of Queen's County, which claim had been assigned to the Petitioner, and the necessary affidavit had been mislaid. Referred to Committee of Supply, 367. Not complied with, 416.

142. Catharine Dayton. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 367. Complied with, 416. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

143. George Whitteker, and others, St. John. — praying Legislative protection by having a duty imposed upon Leather imported into this Province. Referred to Committee of Trade, 368. Report of Committee, 387.

144. Donald McDonald, and David Bruce, old Soldiers. — praying pecunary aid in their destitute circumstances. Referred to Committee of Supply, 368. Complied with, 421.

145. Samuel Scovil, and others, Queen's County. — praying Legislative aid towards making a Canal across Grimross Neck. Referred to River Navigation Committee, 368. Report of Committee, 398.

146. George Pitfield, Esq., and others, County of Westmorland. — praying no Act may pass authorizing a division of the said County, as prayed for in a Petition presented to the House at this Session, and that they be not assessed therefor. Lie on the Table, 369. See Bills, No. 78.

147. R. B. Chapman, and others. — praying measures be adopted for the suppression of intemperance and further restrictions in the sale of ardent Spirits. Lie on the Table, 369. See Bills, No. 81, 87.

148. James Ross, and others. — The like prayer. Lie on the Table, 369.

149. Rev. P. Townshend, Rev. Robert Davis, and others. — The like prayer. Lie on the Table, 369.

150. Rev. Benjamin G. Gray, and others, W. B. Kinnear, Esq. Thos. Millidge, Esq. and others. — praying Legislative interference in prohibiting the importation of ardent Spirits, or that such additional duties should be imposed as would effectually prevent its importation and consumption in the Province, also that the Law regulating Taverns may be so amended as to bring the keepers thereof under more restaint. Lie on the Table, 369. See Bills, 81, 87.

151. Patrick Henderson, of Chatham. — praying to be relieved from the payment of certain extents in force against him as surety for one Charles Mills. Lie on the Table, 369. Referred to a Select Committee, 369.

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152. Gilmour, Rankin, & Co. praying drawback on Rum exported by them in 1831 and 1833. Referred to Committee of Supply, 369. Complied with, 416.

153. Joseph Samuel. praying drawback on Quills and Pencils exported to Quebec. Referred to Committee of Supply, 369. Complied with, 416. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

154. David Phillips, and others. praying aid towards the erection of a Bridge across Eel River in the County of York. Negatived, 369.

155. Benjamin L. Peters, Esq. and others. praying that an Act may pass to amend the Charter of the City of St. John as regards the Election of Charter Officers. Lie on the Table, 370. See Bills, No. 74. See, 427.

156. Joseph M'Pherson, and others. praying that no Act may pass to alter the Charter of the said City, as regards the Election of Officers and other matters as are therein set forth. Lie on the Table, 370. See, 427.

157. Richard Ketchum, and others. praying an Act may pass establishing the Road from Woodstock to Houlton as one of the Great Roads in the Province. Lie on the Table, 370. See Bills, No. 85.

158. John Ward and Sons, and others, St. John. praying an Act may pass giving power to the Common Council to require all Seamen who shall be discharged or shipped at that port to be described and entered by the Owner or Masters of Vessels upon certain Books for the Registration of Seamen in an Office to be kept for that purpose. Lie on the Table, 370. See Bills, No. 21.

159. James Buist, and others, Tavern Keepers. praying an amendment of the Act 3 William IV. for the establishment of Boards of Health throughout the Province. Lie on the Table, 370. See Bills, No. 77.

160. Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of St. John. praying a grant may pass to reimburse them for advances made in erecting a Building on Partridge Island for the accommodation and comfort of Emigrants. Referred to Committee of Supply, 371. Complied with, 423. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

161. John Young of Pokeshaw. praying to be relieved from the payment of an extent now in force against him for the recovery of certain grants, for the Building a Bridge over the Northwest Branch of Carraquet River, for reasons set forth in the said Petition. Negatived, 371. Complied with, 415.

162. John Smith, and others, Inhabitants of County Westmorland. praying an Act may pass to provide for the opening of temporary Roads in the Winter Season over private property. Lie on the Table, 371.

163. Thomas Hutchings. praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 372. Negatived, 423.

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164. Samuel Bustin, and others, Butchers, St. John. — praying Legislative protection for the reasons set forth in said Petition. Lie on the Table, 372. See report of Committee, 387.

165. E. D. W. Ratchford, and S. L. Lugrin. — praying drawback on Goods exported to Nova Scotia in the years 1832, 1833, and 1834. Referred to Committee of Supply, 372. Complied with, 421,

166. James Parkinson, and Thomas Sime. — praying measures be taken for the repeal of the Parliamentary Duty on Foreign Flour. Negatived, 372.

167. John Ward, and others. — praying no Act may be passed during the present Session of the Legislature for increasing the Capital Stock of the Bank of New Brunswick. Lie on the Table, 372.

168. Justices of Peace, County Charlotte. — praying pecunary aid towards the debt contracted in building the County Gaol. Referred to Committee of Supply. Complied with, 423.

169. Benjamin Stanton, and others, St. John. — praying that no alteration be made in the Elective Franchise thereof. Lie on the Table, 372.

170. James Cody, St. John. — praying a grant may pass to him for his services in taking an account of the Population of the Parish of Portland in the County of Saint John, for reasons therein set forth. Referred to Committee of Supply, 372. Not complied with, 420.

171. Henry E. Dibblee. — praying remuneration for services as Sub-Collector of Customs at Woodstock. Referred to Committee of Supply, 372. Not complied with, 420.

172. Rector, Church Wardens, &c. Trinity Church, St. John. — praying an Act may pass authorizing the sale of certain Lands as therein stated. Lie on the Table, 372. See Bills, No. 94.

173. Henry Chubb, and others. — praying that an Act may pass to Incorporate a Company for Manufacturing purposes. Lie on the Table, 372.

174. Thomas M'Donald Beverly. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 373. Complied with, 420. Not concurred in by Council, 456.

175. Rev. Joseph Crandal, and others. — praying such measures may be adopted by the Legislature as will relieve them from the restrictions contained in the Marriage Licences issued by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the Act 4 William 4, Cap. 48. Lie on the Table, 374.

176. George G. Gilbert. — praying a grant may pass to him to compensate for land required for the Marsh Road leading from the City of Saint John. Lie on the Table, 374. Referred to Select Committee, 374. Report of Committee, 396. Referred to Committee, of Supply, 396. Complied with, 435.

177. John Leslie, and others. — praying a protecting Duty on Bread stuffs imported from the United States. Lie on the Table, 374.

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178. John B. Payne, and others, Mechanics of Fredericton. — praying some Legislative enactment to restrict Soldiers of the Garrison from excercising Trades in the said Town. Lie on the Table, 375.

179. Joshua Stone. — praying aid in consideration of his services on behalf of his Country. Referred to Committee of Supply, 375. Complied with, 420.

180. Alexander Brown. — praying compensation for Work performed by him on the Great Road between Fredericton and Newcastle. Negatived, 375.

181. Samuel White, and others, Queen's County. — praying an alteration in the Post Road between the River Saint John and the head of Bellisle. Lie on the Table, 375.

182. James Parkinson, and Thomas Sime. — praying measures be taken for the repeal of the Parliamentary Duty on Foreign Flour. Negatived, 375.

183. Ebenezer Packard. — praying compensation for teaching School. Referred to Committee of Supply, 375. Complied with, 420. Not concurred in by Council, 456,

184. David Johnston, and others. — praying an Act may pass authorizing a Bridge to be erected over the Kenebeccasis River in the Parish of Norton, and to establish a Toll to be taken thereat. Lie on the Table, 446. See Bills, No. 103.

185. Justus S. Wetmore, and James Whitney, King's County. — praying an Act may pass authorizing them to build a Bridge above the Hampton Ferry in King's County, and establishing Tolls to be taken thereat. Lie on the Table, 446,

186. James Hendricks, and others. — praying an Act may pass authorizing the erection of a Bridge across the Kenebeccasis River above Hampton Ferry, and establishing Tolls to be taken thereat. Lie on the Table, 446.

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